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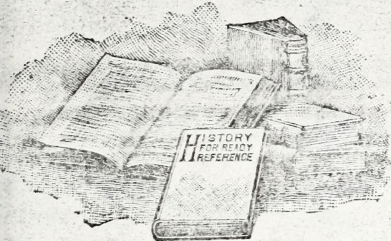
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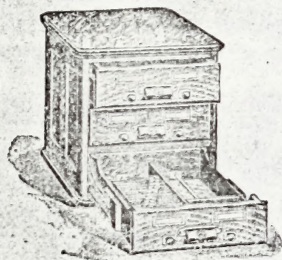
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THE HIGGINSONS IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

BY EBEN PUTNAM.

Looking at the map of England, one observes the counties of Shropshire, Stafford, and Leicestershire, in the order named, nearly in the centre of the kingdom and running from west to east. Butting against Stafford and Leicester, on the south, is Warwickshire. From Shrewsbury town to Leicester town, as the crow flies, is about eighty miles. Ten miles to the north of Shrewsbury, and half-way to Whitechurch, is the town of Wem. About twenty miles south-west of Leicester, in the northern central part of Warwickshire, is the noted city of Coventry. Five miles west of Coventry is Berkeswell, and west of that parish is Solihull.

It is in this territory, so rudely described, that one must turn for information regarding the ancestors of the American Higginsons. There was the original home of the name. To be sure, the name occurs in Lancashire at a date as early as the middle of the sixteenth century, notably at Leigh, near the southern border, and at other places in neighboring counties; but the name seems in early days to have particularly developed in that western central part of England.

As the forms in which the name could and did appear are varied, it would be an almost hopeless task to attempt to arrange in genealogical sequence the families or persons bearing those forms at the earlier periods.

Isaac and Ike may be the earliest form of the name from which may have been derived Higgins and Higginson. Hickey and Hicks, Hickerson and Hickens, are very likely

but modifications of the same name. Of those forms, Higgins certainly is very early, and Higginson was sometimes so written. Hickerson for Higginson is not an uncommon occurrence. The name was so pronounced in Virginia. By the opening of the sixteenth century the names Higginson and Higgins were apparently fixed, and only slovenly usage has confounded them.

While Higgins is quite a common name and found extensively throughout England, the name of Higginson is confined to localities, and such localities are generally in western England and in parts of the Midlands. It is by no means a common name. The bearers of it have been, as far as one can judge from the records coming down to us, a race of well-to-do yeomen, and now and then of higher estate. Undoubtedly the Higginsons in Shropshire north of Shrewsbury, and the Higginsons in northern Warwickshire, are all of the same family. Whether the other and smaller groups revealed by investigation belong to that family, or are descendants of some other early Higgins or Hickerson, etc., is an open question. It does not seem probable that all bearing the name are of the same male descent. No such claim could be made for the Higginses, and it is likely that the affix *son* was given in more than one case and became a fixture.

Guppy, in his work showing the distribution of English names, shows that in 1890 there were to every ten thousand farmers and land-owners in Cheshire fourteen by the name of Higginson; in the combined counties of Leicestershire and Rutland, which may be taken to mean the former in this case, seventeen; in Lancashire seven; and in Salop no less than twenty. Under the heading of the latter county he lists Higginson as a district name, *i.e.*, one that is found in from four to nine counties.

The name of Higgins is also a Wem name.

In Eyton's large work on the "Antiquities of Salop," in twelve volumes, covering the period from the Norman con-

quest to the end of the reign of Henry III., 1066-1272 (much later data are given, however, often as late as the middle of the fourteenth century), there is no mention of the name of Higginson.

There are, comparatively, few families, either in England or America, who can claim a proved descent from a progenitor living in the early part of the fifteenth century; the exceptions being those who have held possession of the same lands for many generations, or who have been of such importance that the chain of descent has been preserved by the historian.

To this rule the Higginsons are no exception. The name, as far as I have learned, does not appear on such records as are accessible prior to the year 1500.

It is evident, however, by that time the family was established in and about Wem, in Shropshire, and then, or soon after, in and about Barkswell, in Warwickshire.

The Higginsons of Wem and Barkswell were related, as appears from wills on record; but the connecting link is missing. Probably, if we could find the will of the father of John Higginson, of Barkswell, it is almost a certainty that the exact relationship between him and those of his generation living in Wem would be shown. It is doubtful, however, if the family could be carried farther back unless a careful search of the subsidy rolls, and other rolls and records at the Public Record Office, should reveal something upon which it was possible to build a pedigree.

WEM.

Wem is so near Shrewsbury and the Welch border that the inhabitants must have suffered from the frequent forays of the Welch, and, perhaps, in a great measure were of the ancient Celtic or British race.

In the time of Edward (13th century) it has been estimated that the population of England was but two and a quarter million, and in 1650 that of England and Wales

but five and one-half millions; having increased but a half million during the preceding century. In 1871 the population of Salop was only a quarter million. These figures are given to show that in the fifteenth century and at the beginning of the next, Wem could not have been very densely populated, although it was the seat of the Pantulfs. As it is evident at that time in the parish were several families of Higginsons, it follows the family was of considerable antiquity in that neighborhood.

Weme is mentioned in Domesday, and the Saxon owners were Wighe, Lenuinus, Alveva, and Aelviava. The place was granted to Count Roger, in capito, whose mesne tenant was Willelmus Pantulf. The latter held Edstaston, Horton, Cotton, etc. The Norman, William Pantulf, held no less than eleven manors in the old Hundred of Odenet. He was Lord of Noron, near Falaise, and had followed Roger de Montgomery into England, and received gifts of manors in Salop, Stafford, and Warwickshire. He was the first baron of Wem. Roger intrusted to him the administration of his earldom of Shrewsbury.*

Rev. Samuel Garbet, in his history of Wem, printed in 1818, but written at a much earlier date (about 1750), says: "The parish of Wem is very extensive and contains the chapelries of Edstaston, Newtown, and the townships of Aston, Cotton, Horton, Lacon, Lowe with Ditches, Nothwood, Souldon, Tilley, and Wolverly." The Trench farm, whence Rupert viewed the town of Wem but cared not to attack, is in Tilley, and it is said that here a castle formerly stood. Wem was the first town in Shropshire that declared for Parliament and received a garrison.

Under Cotton (formerly Cote, of which Cotten is plural, [Eyton]) Garbet states that the whole township was called Cotton, but more especially three houses about half mile from Quino brook. The first of those was a copyhold, and with a small estate formerly belonged to John Higginson,

* Anderson's Early History and Antiquities of Shropshire.

and from his heirs passed to the Sherratts. The next messuage stood upon a freehold estate formerly in possession of Richard Higginson, who at the survey in 1561 produced an old deed with an ancient seal without date, whereby Madoc,* the son of Yarefoot, son of Madoc, of Acton in Brumfield, gave to William, the son of Roger de Tyshoo, four bovates of arable land lying in the fields of Cotton in the fee of Wem. This grant would be about fifty-two acres. Some part of this land had been sold by Richard Higginson, who produced other new deeds whereby it appeared that he held a messuage with several parcels of land by knight's service, viz., one-tenth part of a knight's fee, and did pay the same part, being ten shillings, on the death of his father, William Higginson.

Tyshoo is, or was, a manor in Warwickshire,† and in the time of Edward II. (1307–1327) was among the possessions of Edward, Baron of Stafford.

The return of William Pantulf, Baron of Wem, is missing in the Liber Niger.

Between 1500 and 1560 there were residing in Wem as heads of families, Allen, Johan, William, William (2,) Richard, John, and Thomas Higginson, some of these dying after 1550, and at Broughton, Halen (Alen) Haken-son.

Probably in the above enumeration two or more stand in the relationship of father and son, but this state of affairs shows a settlement in Wem prior to 1500.

In 1561 John and Richard Higginson were freeholders in Wem, and in 1564 John and Thomas Higginson were two of the twenty customary holders.

(To be continued.)

* A certain Madoc ap Griffin of Brumfield, in 1226, had a difference with William Pantulf, Baron Wem, which was settled by arbitration (Eyton).

† Tyshoo in Warwick, near the battlefield of Edgehill. Acton in Brumfield would appear to be Acton near Clun, in the south-western corner of Shropshire.

There was a family bearing the name Tysoo, but examination of the probate records at Lichfield failed to discover the testaments of any of the name.

EARLY BISHOP FAMILIES OF MASSACHUSETTS.

BY NATHANIEL HOLMES BISHOP, OF LAKE GEORGE,
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Henry Bishop, of Newport, R.I., New Haven, Conn., and Boston,
Mass. (1638-1664).

In the Rhode Island Colony Records, Vol. 1, p. 92, we learn that Henry Bishop (the brother of Lieut.-Gov. James Bishop, of New Haven, Conn.) was made an inhabitant of Newport, 20-3-1638, and was made freeman in 1640. How long he remained in Rhode Island cannot be proved; but he appears, of record, in the New Haven Colony, of which his brother James had been the first secretary, as having taken the oath of fidelity at New Haven, July 1, 1644, and was made freeman on Aug. 5, 1644. (Vol. 2, p. 139.)

After that time Henry is noted in the colonial registers several times up to the year he left Connecticut to reside in Boston where he died.

In 1646 he is called Goodman Bishop (p. 264).

During the year 1648 he had a dispute with Mr. John Davenport (whose farm he rented, or occupied) on account of "corne," and was recorded as not being a settled planter, "but may remove at leisure." . . . "a man of place and esteem, and having a good visible estate fixed in the plantation."

The same year he was to drive cattle to Fairfield to winter. In the examination of the dispute in accounts with Mr. Davenport, Henry was asked if he had any witness, and pro-

duced his brother, James Bishop. He was fined the same year for not being provided with bullets; and he sued John Moss and Isaac Whitehead for taking his canoe.

In January, 1648-9 he is registered as "about going forth of the town." In 1652 he was still in the New Haven Colony.

"July 24, 1655, Patience, wife of Henry Bishop, is recorded as having died in New Hampshire," while Hinman's "Puritan Settlers," I am informed, has this settlement: "Died at New Haven, Conn., Patience, wife of Henry Bishop, July 20, 1655."

I have not been able to discover any original record showing that either Lieut-Gov. James Bishop, or his brother Henry, resided in New Hampshire. A reliable New Haven correspondent informs me that James Bishop sold a house in New Hampshire in 1647. Did he reside in New Hampshire before joining the New Haven Colony?

About seventeen months after Patience, the wife of Henry Bishop, died, his name is found in the Boston marriage register as follows: "1656-12-20. Henry Bishop of New Haven to Elizabeth Wilbore, widow. By Rich^d Bellingham, Dep. Gov." In his will (Boston Prob. Office, Book 1, p. 281), dated April 1, 1665, "Samuel Wilbore of Tauton" gives "unto my young wife Elizabeth all ye movable goods in my house in Boston where at present I do inhabit at time of my decease" — "also all my sheep and lambs at Dorchester" — "also a mare and colt at Jno. Moredo of Brantry." He leaves his lands in Rhode Island, and his interests in the iron mills at Taunton, Mass., to his oldest son, Samuel; other properties to his other sons, Joseph and Shadrock, with allowances "in case my sd wife marry another man." Old Mr. Wilbore died between April first and November following, when his will was proved "at a meeting of ye magistrates." The "young wife Elizabeth" gave herself and her fortune to Henry Bishop, shortly after her husband's death, and Mr. Bishop became a citizen of Boston.

Boston Town Records, p. 154, show that at a meeting held 12: 1: 1659-60, Henry Bishop was chosen one of the four constables for Boston.

Records show that he was engaged in making and receiving shipments of merchandise with the Barbadoes, and had an account with Henry Glover, of New Haven, also.

Mr. Bishop died, according to an entry in the Boston Registry Office, May 11, 1664. His wife died soon after her husband's decease, though her death is not in the city register. At that time death records were more frequently neglected than births or marriages.

Henry Bishop did not leave a will.

Nathaniel Bishop, who owned the land on the lower side of Bishop's lane, now Hawley st., Boston, signed the inventory of the estate of his brother Henry. There were debts owing the estate amounting to £169, horses in New Haven, and 4,500 pounds of sugar and debts due Henry Bishop in Barbadoes. Total assets of the estate amount to £359.15.3, with debts due from the estate.

On the back of the inventory is written: "Nath. Bishop deposed that this paper contained a true Inventory of the Estate of the late Henry Bishop his brother y^t is come to his hands acknowledged that when he finds more he will returne it.

Edw. Dausen."

I have not discovered any evidence to show that Henry Bishop had issue by either of his wives.

GATE. — The word "gate," which is found in Rowley, Mass., records, wills of Rowley persons, etc., is equivalent to a cow common. In a "Glossary of Words used in the Wapentakes of Manley and Corringham, Lincolnshire," by Edw. Peacock, the following definitions are given: Gate, (1) *way, manner*; (2) *a road*; (3) *right of pasture for cattle*.

ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

(Continued from page 217.)

33. ³ Joshua Simmons (² Mercy Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden).
Born in Duxbury, 1688; married Sarah Delano, April 4,
1728 (?), and he died Jan'y 15, 1774, æ. 85 $\frac{3}{4}$. I have no
knowledge of any children.

34. ³ Moses Simmons (² Mercy Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden).
Born in Duxbury, 1691; died June 21, 1761, æ. 70 $\frac{2}{3}$ years.
Married in Duxbury, March 26, 1718, Rachel Sampson,
daughter of Caleb and Mercy (Standish) Sampson, and grand-
daughter of Alexander and Sarah (Alden) Standish. She
was born Dec. 5, ——. She survived her husband.

Children, born in Duxbury:

- 190 Ichabod Simmons.
- 191 William Simmons.
- 192 Mercy Simmons.
- 193 Lydia Simmons.
- 194 Deborah Simmons.
- 195 Anna Simmons.

Winsor says, had Lemuel bapt. 1743, and Abigail 1745;
but I have my doubts whether they belong here. I shall
not number them till I have further proof, for if they were
children of Moses and Rachel (Sampson) Simmons, they un-
doubtedly died young, before the father. I think Lemuel
was son of Ichabod, mentioned above. Moses Simmons made
his will in 1761. Speaks of wife Rachel and son Wm., execu-
tors. Children: Ichabod, Wm., and Mercy Simmons, wife of
Nathaniel Simmons, Lydia, wife of Judah Delano, Deborah,

wife of Jacob Weston, and Anna Simmons. Book 16, pages 208-209, Plymouth Probate Records.

35. ³ Joseph Seabury (² Martha Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, June 8, 1678. Died August 22, 1755. Buried in Little Compton cemetery. Gr. stone: "In memory of Lieut Joseph Seabury, who died Aug ye 22, 1755 in ye 78th year of his age." He married, 1st, Phebe (Fobes) Smith, daughter of Lieut. Wm. Fobes and Elizabeth (Southworth) Fobes. She was born 1679, and died April 1, 1715. Lieut. Fobes was stepfather to Joseph Seabury, having married his mother. [I wish to correct an error in the preceding Seabury family. Samuel Seabury, father of Joseph, died in 1681, instead of 1689.] Gravestone of Phebe (Fobes) Seabury, in old cemetery, Little Compton: "Here lyeth the body of Phebe, the wife of Joseph Seabury who deceast in ye 36. year of her age April ye 21. 1715." I think a certain John Smith, who appears on the early town records, was her husband. Joseph Seabury married, 2d, Mary Ladd, daughter of Wm. and Elizabeth (Tompkins) Ladd. She was born in Little Compton, March 5, 1699; died in Tiverton, R.I., Feb. 26, 1733-4. Joseph Seabury was admitted to Little Compton church, March 2, 1712. Dismissed to Tiverton church, Aug. 18, 1746.

By first wife, born in Little Compton:

- 196 ⁴ Samuel Seabury, born June 5, 1702.
- 197 Martha Seabury, born Feby. 7, 1704.
- 198 Joseph Seabury, born Dec. 2, 1705.
- 199 Benjamin Seabury, born Jan. 20, 1708.
- 200 Sion Seabury, born March 27, 1713.
- 201 Mary Seabury, born April 17, 1715.

By second wife, born in Tiverton:

- 202 Phebe Seabury, born March 2, 1723.
- 203 Hannah Seabury, born Feb. 7, 1724-5.
- 204 Gideon Seabury, born May 16, 1726.
- 205 John Seabury, born Nov. 26, 1727.

- 206 Bettey Seabury, born Feb. 2, 1729-30.
- 207 Sarah Seabury, born Dec. 4, 1732.
- 208 Ichabod Seabury, born Jan. 18, 1733-4;

36. ³Martha Seabury (²Martha Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Sept. 23, 1679; died probably in Tiverton; married 1705, Josiah Sawyer, and lived in Tiverton. Her husband died in 1733. His will, dated 15 Sept., 1733. Book 8, page 30, Taunton Probate Records. Speaks of being sick and weak in body; of dearly beloved wife; daus. Hannah Williston, Mercy, Mary, Abigail, and Priscilla; sons, John and Josiah. After Josiah comes of age, etc. Witnessed by Samuel Crandall, Isaac Case, Joseph Tompkins. Signed Josiah Sawyer, of Tiverton.

Children on Tiverton Records:

- 209 John Sawyer, born Feb. 20, 1707; dismissed to Tiverton church, Aug. 18, 1746.
- 210 Hannah Sawyer, born Nov. 27, 1710.
- 211 Mercy Sawyer, born Jan. 28, 1711.
- 212 Mary Sawyer, born Aug. 28, 1714; baptized Little Compton church, July 24, 1715.
- 213 Abigail Sawyer, born Oct. 4, 1716; baptized June 1, 1720.
- 214 Priscella Sawyer, admitted to the church, Feb. 23, 1733-4; baptized, 1719.
- 216 Josiah Sawyer, born May, 1725; baptized July 11, 1725; admitted to the church, Aug. 6, 1738.

Aug. 18, 1746, at the formation of the church, at Tiverton, John Sawyer, the widow Martha Sawyer, and Priscilla Sawyer.

37. A posthumous child. I know nothing more.

38. ³Elizabeth Fobes (²Martha Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, probably about 1683; married in Little Compton, R.I., June 10, 1708, Wm. Briggs (I

think), son of John and Hannah (Fisher) Briggs. He died Nov. 23, 1751.

Wm. Briggs' will was admitted to Probate, Dec. 17, 1751, dated 2 Nov., 1750. Mary Briggs, his daughter, executrix. "I William Briggs &c. To my well beloved daughter Mary: To my well beloved son W^m all my homestead &c. To Mary that part of my farm lying in Tiverton. To son Lovet Briggs a farm in Tiverton. To son Lovet Briggs land in Tiverton 20 acres. To daughter Judith Wilcox. To daughter Elizabeth Shippee.* To daughter Catherine. To dau Sarah Shaw. To dau Phebe Almy. To son W^m Briggs. To son Fobes Briggs the sum of five shillings to be paid two years after my decease. To wife Elizabeth Briggs. Witnessed Peter Horsewell, Constant Woodman, Restcome Sanford."

Later, Fobes Briggs of Newport, mariner, prays for an appeal from the Probate of Wm. Briggs' will.

Children, from Little Compton Records:

- 215 'Judith Briggs, born May 27, 1710.
- 216 Lovet Briggs, born Feb. 1, 1712; d. Feb. 3, 1713.
- 217 Elizabeth Briggs, born Dec. 17, 1713.
- 218 Wm. Briggs, born April 11, 1715.
- 219 Catherine Briggs, born March 17, 1717.
- 220 Sarah Briggs, born 1719.
- 221 Phebe Briggs, born 1721.
- 222 Mary Briggs, born 1723.
- 223 Fobes Briggs, born 1728.
- 224 Lovet Briggs, 2d, born 1727.

39. ³Constant Fobes (²Martha Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden), born in Little Compton, 1686; died June 26, 1771, in Marshfield, Mass.; married in Little Compton by Rev. Richard Billings, justice, April 8, 1708, John Little, son of Ephraim and Mary (Sturtevant) Little. He was born March 18, 1682-3, in Marshfield, and died there Feb. 26, 1767, "a man of weight in the community and much respected, and possessed of large wealth."

* It may be the word was Skiffe. I could not be sure.

Children all born in Marshfield :

- 227. Anna⁴ Little, born Dec. 29, 1708, dy.
- 228. Ruth Little, born July 10, 1710, dy.
- 229. Mercy Little, born Nov. 2, 1711, probably died young,
unmarried, as she is not mentioned in her father's
will.
- 230. Fobes Little, born March 9, 1712-3.
- 231. John Little, born June 30, 1714.
- 232. Anna Little, born Jan. 30, 1715-6.
- 233. Thomas Little, born March 23, 1716-7, d. y.
- 234. Ephraim Little, born April 15, 1718.
- 235. Thomas Little, born June 16, 1719.
- 236. William Little, born Aug. 31, 1720.
- 237. Ruth Little, born abt. 1723.
- 238. Lemuel Little, born Dec. 8, 1724.

John Little's will is dated 15 Jan., 1764. Proved 9 March, 1767. "I, John Little of Marshfield — to loving wife Constant — to Fobes Little, land in Little Compton — to John Little, farm in Windham, Conn — to W^m Little, farm partly in Lebanon, and partly in Norwich — to dau. Anna White land in Marshfield — to Ruth Oakman land etc., and the 'yoke of oxen Tobias Oakman has of me' — to son Ephraim land in Marshfield — to son Lemuel homestead in Marshfield — to granddaughter Alice Little." Three sons, Ephraim, Thomas, and Lemuel, executors. Inventory shows estate of £4,345.

40. Mary³ Fobes (Martha² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, 1689. Died there July 29, 1712. Married in Little Compton, March 17, 1708, by Benjamin Church, Justice, Edward³ Southworth, son of W^m and Rebecah² (Pabodie) Southworth. He was born Nov. 23, 1684, and died ? She was his first wife. He married 2^d Elizabeth Palmer, by the Rev. Richard Billings, Justice, on Oct. 11, 1716. She was daughter of John and Elizabeth (Richmond) Palmer, and was born Nov. 17, 1691. In Little Compton cemetery I found this epitaph, "Here lyeth

the body of Mary, ye wife of Edward Southworth, aged 23, deceased July 22 or 29, 1712."

Children all born in Little Compton.

By first wife :

239. Rebecca ⁴ Southworth, born Dec. 22, 1708.

240. Fobes Southworth, born Sept. 1, 1710.

By second wife :

241. Thomas ⁴ Southworth, born June 7, 1718.

242. Alice Southworth, born Nov. 24, 1720.

243. Edward Southworth, born Feb. 27, 1724.

244. Elizabeth Southworth, born Dec. 29, 1725.

245. Esther Southworth, born Sept. 25, 1727.

246. Beriah Southworth, born May 28, 1729.

247. Mary Southworth, July 15, 1732.

248. William Southworth, born .

42. Mercy ³ Wiswall (Priscilla Pabodie, ² Elizabeth ¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, Oct. 4, 1680. Married Jan. 25, 1704, Deacon John Wadsworth, son of Deacon John and Abigail (Andrews) Wadsworth. From Winsor's Duxbury : "She died upon ye 12 day of November, Anno Domine, 1716, about ten or eleven of ye clock in ye forenoon, being æt thirty & six years, and one month and eight days." He married 2^d, at Boston, widow Mary Verdie, of Boston, April 4, 1718, and she died (gravestone) July 20, 1742, æ. 52, but (according to records) "June 22nd about an hour before the sun rising." "He deceased May ye 3rd, Anno Domine, 1750. Between Ten & Eleven o'clock at night, Being seventy eight years, and one month, & Twenty one days old."

He had children — all born in Duxbury.

By first wife :

249. John ⁴ Wadsworth, born May 24, 1704.

250. Uriah Wadsworth, born July 5, 1708, died at
"two o'clock in ye morning, April 29, 1784."

251. Dorothy Wadsworth, born June 25, 1710.

252. Ichabod Wadsworth, born May 3, 1711.

253. Peleg Wadsworth, born Aug. 29, 1715.

Deacon John and Mercy (Wiswall) Wadsworth are ancestors of the poet Longfellow, through their son Peleg.

By second wife :

Mary Wadsworth, born July 19, 1721.

43 Hannah³ Wiswall (Priscilla² Pabodie, Eliz. Alden¹). Born in Duxbury, Feb. 22, 1681-82; married Rev. John Robinson, son of James and Mary (Alcock) Robinson — her father's successor. He was born in Dorchester, Mass., April 17, 1675. Harvard College 1695, settled as pastor 1702 (see Winsor's Duxbury, pages 184-191). He died in Lebanon, Conn., Nov. 14, 1745. She and her eldest daughter Mary died Sept. 22, 1722, in a storm off Nantasket Beach. A full account of their death is given in Winsor's History of Duxbury.

Children born in Duxbury :

254. Mary⁴ Robinson, born Feb. 23, 1706, drowned off Nantasket Beach, Sept. 22, 1722.
255. Hannah Robinson, born November 2, 1708.
256. Alethea Robinson, born May 26, 1710.
257. Elizabeth Robinson, born Sept. 28, 1712.
258. John Robinson, born April 16, 1715.
259. Ichabod Robinson, born
260. Faith Robinson, born 1718.

44 Peleg³ Wiswall (Priscilla² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, Feb. 5, 1683-4; married Elizabeth Rogers, daughter of Dr. Samuel Rogers. Published in Ipswich, Nov. 21, 1719. She died Dec. 1, 1743, æ. 47. Harvard College, Headmaster of the North Free Grammar School from 1719 till his death. The following is the inscription upon his tombstone in Copp's Hill Burying Ground, Boston: "Here lyes bried the Body of Mr Peleg Wiswall, late Master of the North Grammar School, died Sept 3d, 1767 in the 84th year of his Age" — Winsor's Duxbury.

Children born in Boston :

Deacon John and Mary (Worsell) Worsell are ancestors of the good Longfellow, through their son Peter. By second wife;

Mary Worsell, born July 18, 1771.

At Hannah's Worsell (Worsell's) father, John, born in Danbury, Feb. 25, 1681-82; married the John Robinson, son of James and Mary (Lamb) Robinson — her father's widow. He was born in Danbury, Mass., April 17, 1678. Harvard College 1698; settled as pastor 1702 (see Worsell's Danbury, page 101). He died in Danbury, Conn., Nov. 14, 1755. She and her eldest daughter Mary died Sept. 22, 1755, near the old Danbury town. A full account of their lives is given in Worsell's History of Danbury.

Children born in Danbury:

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| 161 | May, Worsell, born Feb. 27, 1700; died in 1700. |
| 162 | William, Worsell, born Feb. 27, 1700. |
| 163 | Elizabeth, Worsell, born Feb. 27, 1700. |
| 164 | Abigail, Worsell, born May 28, 1701. |
| 165 | Elizabeth, Worsell, born May 28, 1701. |
| 166 | John, Worsell, born April 18, 1710. |
| 167 | Elizabeth, Worsell, born April 18, 1710. |
| 168 | John, Worsell, born April 18, 1710. |
| 169 | Elizabeth, Worsell, born April 18, 1710. |
| 170 | John, Worsell, born April 18, 1710. |

At John's Worsell (Worsell's) father, John, born in Danbury, Feb. 25, 1681-82; married the John Robinson, son of James and Mary (Lamb) Robinson — her father's widow. He was born in Danbury, Mass., April 17, 1678. Harvard College 1698; settled as pastor 1702 (see Worsell's Danbury, page 101). He died in Danbury, Conn., Nov. 14, 1755. She and her eldest daughter Mary died Sept. 22, 1755, near the old Danbury town. A full account of their lives is given in Worsell's History of Danbury.

Children born in Danbury:

- 261. Elizabeth⁴ Wiswall, born 4 Nov., 1728.
- 262. Daniel Wiswall, born Feb. 13, 1722.
- 263. Priscilla Wiswall, born Dec. 17, 1725.
- 264. Sarah Wiswall, bapt. in Old South Church, Boston, May 4, 1729.
- 265. John Wiswall, born April 15, 1731.

46 Deborah³ Wiswall (Priscella² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1695. Died April 22, 1776, æ. 81. Married, Oct. 21, 1717, Deacon Samuel Seabury, son of Deacon Samuel Seabury and "Mis" Abigail (Allen) Seabury. He was born in Duxbury Oct. 24, 1692, and died there, Sept 25, 1762. "This Samuel Seabury remained with his family in Duxbury. He and his wife died and were buried in that town, and their gravestones may now be seen in the old burying ground. This was the best family of Seaburys that lived in the town."

Children all born in Duxbury.

- 266. Sarah Seabury, born July 21, 1718.
- 267. Hannah Seabury, " June 26, 1720.
- 268. Hopetill Seabury, " May 31, 1722.
- 269. Faith Seabury, " Oct. 12, 1724.
- 270. Paul Seabury, " Nov. 26, 1728.
- 271. Wiswall Seabury, " April 6, 1738; died Sept. 20, 1768.
- 272. Deborah Seabury, born April 13, 1727.
- 273. Mercy Seabury, " Nov. 10, 1735.

(To be continued.)

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HALL. — Hate Evil Hall, Jr., of Falmouth, and wife Ruth, sell to Daniel Hall of the same, land there which Jas. Winslow of Falmouth, this day gave us and Daniel Hall and his wife Losannah. 15 Sept., 1760. *Cumb., Me., Deeds*, 3. 281.

DAVIS. — In the inventory of Jacob Davis, late of Gloucester, taken 28 Feb., 1717-18, occurs the item, "to a small house to resort to on Sabbath days, £1. 10."

Davis owned $\frac{1}{3}$ of a saw mill upon the site of which now stand the Gloucester pumping works. See *Essex Deeds*, 15, 235.

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

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1680.

Day.	Mo.	
18.	Jan.	Jonathan, of George and Bethiah (Lovett) Standley.
1.	Feb.	Abigail, of Richard and Abigail (Woodberry) Ober.
8.	"	Jerusha, of Peter and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
15.	"	Benjamin, Henry and Martin of Joseph, Jr. and Mary (Endicott) Herrick.
7.	Mar.	Benjamin, of John, Jr. and Bethiah (Rootes) Lovett.
"	"	Nathaniel, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Mansfield, of Lynn) Conant.
"	"	Susanna, of Thomas and Hannah (Dodge, widow of Sam ^l . Porter) Woodberry.
21.	"	Hannah, of William and Hannah (Haskell) Woodberry.
28.	"	Prudence, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge.
25.	Apr.	Joseph, of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh.
9.	May.	Eleazer, of John and Elizabeth (Gally, widow of Osmand Trask) Giles.
"	"	Joseph, of Samuel and Hannah (Batchelder) Corning.
16.	"	Hannah, of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Corning) Hayward.
20.	June.	Isaac, of Isaac and Mary (Wilks) Woodberry.
4.	July.	Josiah, of Exercise and Sarah Conant.
"	"	Esther, of William, 3d, and Elizabeth (Haskell) Dodge.
18.	"	Anna, of Humphrey, Jr. and Anna (Window) Woodberry.
26.	"	Rebecca, Hannah and John of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
15.	Aug.	Joseph, of John and Deborah (Grover) Bennett.
19.	Sept.	Dorothy, of William — deceased — and Elizabeth Hooper.

1681.

Day.	Mo.	
13.	Mar.	Joseph and Benjamin of Robert and Mary (Bishop) Coburn.
17.	Apr.	Edith, of Edward and Mary (Haskell) Dodge.
8.	May.	John, of John and Elizabeth (Tenney) Woodberry.
29.	"	Robert, of Richard and Mary (Goldsmith) Patch.
"	"	Mary, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Patch) Biles.
19.	June.	Mary, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Haskell) Grover.
17.	July.	Emma, of Andrew and Mary (Herrick) Eliot.
24.	"	John, Eleanor and Martha of William and Martha (dau. of Giles Corey) Cleaves (1st wife).
7.	Aug.	Simon, of Joseph and Elizabeth Lovett.
14.	"	Priscilla, of Edward, Jr. and Mary Bishop.
11.	Sept.	Israel, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
27.	Nov.	Abigail, of Edmund and Sarah (Dixey) Gale.
"	"	Josiah, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Mansfield) Conant.
4.	Dec.	John, of Nicholas and Hannah (Black) La Groves.
"	"	Tryphosa, of Joseph and Mary (Dodge) Herrick.
18.	"	Hezekiah, of Richard and Abigail (Woodberry) Ober.
"	"	Mary, of John and Elizabeth (Gally, widow of Osmand Trask) Giles.
25.	"	Elizabeth, of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Clark.

1682.

5.	Feb.	Abigail, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge.
"	"	Elizabeth, of John and Bethiah (Mansfield) Conant.
2.	Apr.	Benjamin and John, (twin) of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh.
9.	"	Hannah, of Anthony and Mary (Black?) Williams.
1.	May.	James, of Edmund and Eleanor Ashby.
21.	"	Timothy, of Ephraim and Mary (Cross) Herrick.
4.	June.	John, of John and Ruth Hebert.
25.	"	John, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Richards.
2.	July.	Margaret, of John and Elizabeth Sallows.
13.	Aug.	Jabez, of Cornelius and Hannah (Woodberry) Baker.
"	"	Josiah, of Peter and Sarah (Dodge) Woodberry.
27.	"	Peter, of William and Hannah (Haskell) Woodberry.

Day.	Mo.	
15.	Oct.	Jonathan, of Thomas and Hannah (Porter née Dodge) Woodberry.
"	"	Abigail, of William and Rachel (Raymond) Bradford.

1683.

18.	Feb.	Deliverance, alias Experience, of Isaac and Mary (Wilks) Woodberry.
8.	Apr.	Joseph, of Edward and Mary Bishop.
15.	"	Deborah, of John and Deborah (Grover) Bennett.
"	"	Sarah, of John and Hannah (Vern) Balsh.
22.	"	Elizabeth, of Robert and Mary Cue (née Porter). (The mother widow of John Herrick.)
29.	"	Caleb, of Exercise and Sarah Conant.
20.	May.	Jonathan, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Patch) Biles.
"	"	Susanna, of John and Elizabeth (Tenney) Woodberry.
1.	July.	Sarah, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Walker.
6.	Aug.	Ruth, of John and Ruth Hebert.
"	"	Samuel and Martha, of John and Martha Raymond.
23.	Dec.	Charity, of Edmund and Sarah (Dixey) Gale.
"	"	Hannah, of Jeremiah and Hester (Lambert) Butman.

1684.

13.	Jan.	Abraham, of David and Elizabeth (Howard?) Perkins.
24.	Feb.	Bridget, of John and Elizabeth (Gally, widow of Osmand Trask) Giles.
16.	Mar.	William, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Haskell) Grover.
"	"	Joel, of Richard and Sarah (Haskell) Woodberry.
13.	Apr.	Phebe, of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh.
"	"	Dorothy, of George and Bethiah (Lovett) Standley.
20.	"	Freeborn, of Nicholas and Hannah (Black) La Grove.
18.	May.	Rufus, of Joseph and Mary (Dodge) Herrick.
1.	June.	Elizabeth, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Richards.
8.	"	Jonah, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge.

Day.	Mo.	
27.	July.	Rachel, of William and Rachel (Raymond) Bradford.
17.	Aug.	Thomas, of Thomas and Elizabeth (Jackson) West.
24.	"	Mihel, of John and Elizabeth Sallows.
"	"	Stephen, of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Corning) Hayward.
"	"	Abigail, of Joseph — deceased — and Mary (Graves) Haskell.
"	"	Esther, of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Clark.
31.	"	Mary, of Anthony and Mary (Black?) Williams.
14.	Sept.	James, of James and Mary Smith.
"	"	Thomas and Mary, of Thomas and Mary (Coombs, of Rochester) Raymond.
"	"	Margary, of William and Elizabeth (Haskell) Dodge.
"	"	Hannah, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Mansfield) Conant.
"	"	Esther, of John, Jr. and Elizabeth (Herrick) Stone.
21.	"	Dorothy, of Goody Graves (of Lynn). "Heer upon communion of Churches."
26.	Oct.	Bethiah, of John and Bethiah (Mansfield) Conant.
21.	Dec.	Miriam, wife of Freeborn Balsh (widow of Joseph Batchelder, maiden name Moulton).
28.	"	Joshua, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.

1685.

1.	Feb.	Joshua, of Isaac and Mary (Wilks) Woodberry.
15.	Mar.	Thomas, William and Sarah, of Thomas and Sarah Gage.
21.	"	Elizabeth, of John and Emma (Groves) Bond.
2.	Apr.	William, of John and Martha Raymond.
26.	"	Rebecca, of Peter and Sarah (Dodge) Woodberry.
"	"	Josph and Mercy, of Joseph and Sarah (Glover) Eaton. "4. 10. 84. ye case of Joseph Eaton a childe of ye covenant in ye church in Reddin, but living in this towne desiered to putt himself under ye discipline of Christ in this Church & have baptisme for his children. Ye Brethren consent yt ye Pastor may peacably proceed to ye baptizing of them & other children in such like cases."

Day.	Mo.	
17.	May.	Joseph and Abigail, of Joseph and Miriam (Moulton) Batchelder. (The father deceased), "& when her daughter Myriam she hath by Free-born Balsh her present husband."
"	"	Peter, of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh.
24.	"	Sarah, of Edward and Mary Bishop.
31.	"	Tryphena, of Joseph and Mary (Endicott — 2d wife) Herrick.
14.	June.	Jaspar, of John and Hannah (Hibbert) Swarton.
5.	July.	Ebenezer, of Edmund and Ellen Ashby.
"	"	Rebecca, of William and Hannah (Haskell) Woodberry.
9.	Aug.	Anna, of Samuel and Elizabeth (Dixey) Morgan.
"	"	Richard and Josiah, of Richard and Sarah (Haskell) Woodberry.
16.	"	Sarah, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge.
13.	Sept.	Nathan, of David and Elizabeth (Howard?) Perkins. (Removed to South Bridgewater before 1688.)
28.	"	John, of Richard and Mary (Goldsmith) Patch. "At ye house."
18.	Oct.	James, of (Rev.) John and Sarah (Noyes) Hale.
"	"	John, of Jasph and Elizabeth Lovett.
25.	"	Ruth, of Edward and Mary (Haskell) Dodge.
1.	Nov.	Mary, of Thomas and Sarah Gage.
8.	"	Nehemiah and Rose of —.
"	"	Sarah, of George and Sarah (Hayward) Harvey.
22.	"	William, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Richards.
29.	"	Elizabeth, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Patch) Biles.
"	"	John, Jonathan, Josiah, Elizabeth and Mary of John and Mary (Herrick) Batchelder.
6.	Dec.	Bethiah, of Ithamar and Bethiah Wooden. (Probably from Haverhill.)

1686.

7.	Mar.	Mary, of Edmund and Sarah (Dixey) Gale.
11.	Apr.	Rebecca, of Samuel and Elizabeth Curtis. (She mar. 2d, Thos. Woodberry.)
18.	"	John, of Robert and Mary (Bishop) Coburn.

Day.	Mo.	
2.	May.	Samuel, of John and Deborah (Grover) Bennett.
23.	"	Jonathan, of Thomas and Mary (Coombs) Raymond.
"	"	Anna, of Robert and Mary Cue. (The mother widow of John Herrick née Porter.)
6.	June.	Elizabeth, of John and Freeborn (Woolfe) Black.
"	"	William and Andrew, of William and Mary (Parker) Eliot.
27.	"	Freeborn, of Freeborn and Miriam (Batchelder, née Moulton) Balsh.
8.	Aug.	Mary, of John and Sarah (Gaines — of Ipswich) Creesy.
15.	"	John, of John and Bethiah (Mansfield) Conant.
"	"	James and Emma, of James and Emma Taylor.
29.	"	Joanna, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
5.	Sept.	Nehemiah, of Humphrey, and Anna (Window) Woodberry.
"	"	Martha, of John and Emma (Groves) Bond.
"	"	John, of John, Jr. and Elizabeth (Herrick) Stone.
19.	"	Mark Haskell and sons — Roger, John and Mark.
"	"	Nathaniel, of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Clark.
"	"	Sarah, of John and Sarah Clark.
26.	"	Nicholas, of John and Abigail (Woodberry) Ober.
3.	Oct.	William, of William and Rachel (Raymond) Bradford.
"	"	Josiah, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell.
17.	"	Robert and Rebecca, of William and Joanna (Hale, widow of John Larkin) Dodge.
24.	"	Daniel, of Samuel and Hannah (Batchelder) Corning.
7.	Nov.	Mibel, of William and Elizabeth (Haskell) Dodge.
21.	"	Marget, (Corey) Cleaves — (2d wife. Both wives daughters Giles Corey — Salem Witchcraft).
"	"	Edward, of John and Christian (Woodberry) Trask.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Mark and Mary (Smith) Haskell.
5.	Dec.	William and Judith, of Nicholas and Mary (Eliot) Woodberry.
12.	"	John, William, Peter, Joseph, Mary and Elizabeth, of John and Jane Pride.
19.	"	William, of William and Margaret (Corey) Cleaves.

- | Day. | Mo. | |
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| 19. | Dec. | Elizabeth, of Joseph, Sen. and Mary (Dodge) Herrick. |

1687.

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| 20. | Mar. | Samuel, of Roger and Ruth (Stackhouse) Haskins. |
| 24. | Apr. | Sarah and Bridget, of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Smith) Horrell. |
| 1. | May. | Cornelius, of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh. |
| 22. | " | Susanna, of Richard and Sarah (Haskell) Woodberry. |
| 3. | July. | Mary, of Joseph, Jr. and Mary (Endicott) Herrick. |
| " | " | Martha, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Mansfield) Conant. (Removed to Bridgewater.) |
| 10. | " | John, Elizabeth and Hannah, of John, Sen. and Christian (Woodberry) Trask. |
| 17. | " | Benjamin, of Edward, Jr. and Mary Bishop. |
| 31. | " | Mary and Martha, of Edmund and Ellen Ashby. |
| 7. | Aug. | Priscilla, of Peter and Sarah (Dodge) Woodberry. |
| " | " | Christian, of John and Mary (Herrick) Tovic. (The father deceased.) |
| 14. | " | Samuel, of (Rev.) John and Sarah (Noyes) Hale, "being born ye day before." |
| 28. | " | Samuel, of George and Bethiah (Lovett) Standley. |
| 18. | Sept. | Samuel, of Ithamar and Bethiah Wooden. |
| 25. | " | Nathaniel, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Richards. |
| 9. | Oct. | Ruth, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh. |
| " | " | Elizabeth, of John and Christian (Woodberry) Trask. |
| 6. | Nov. | Edward, of Edward and Mary (Haskell) Dodge. |
| 4. | Dec. | George, of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow. |

1688.

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| 8. | Jan. | Elisha, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge. |
| 15. | " | George, of George and Sarah (Howard) Harvey. |
| 26. | Feb. | Hannah, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell. |

Day.	Mo.		
10.	June.	Samuel, of Lot and Abigail	Conant.
"	"	Andrew, of Nicholas and Mary (Eliot)	Woodberry.
17.	"	Thomas, of John, Jr. and Martha	Raymond.
24.	"	Judith, of William and Mary (Parker)	Eliot.
29.	July.	Benjamin, of Freeborn and Miriam (Batchelder, née Moulton)	Balsh.
"	"	Joanna, of Thomas and Sarah	Gage.
"	"	Abigail, of Thomas and Mary (Coombs)	Raymond.
5.	Aug.	Nehemiah, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Haskell)	Grover.
"	"	Jane, of Samuel and Elizabeth	Curtis.
12.	"	Nathaniel, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry)	Richards.
26.	"	John, of Richard and Mary (Goldsmith)	Patch.
3.	Sept.	William, Thomas, and Charity, of Thomas and Charity (Livermore)	Whittredge.
"	"	Sarah, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Patch)	Biles.
17.	"	Henry, of Joseph, Jr. and Mary (Endicott)	Herrick.
"	"	Mercy, of William, 3d, and Elizabeth (Haskell)	Dodge.
14.	Oct.	Abel, of Humphrey and Anna (Window)	Woodberry.
"	"	John, of John and Sarah (Gaines)	Creesy.
21.	"	Esther, of William and Hannah (Haskell)	Woodberry.
28.	"	Solomon, of Tobias and Mary (Green)	Trow.
9.	Nov.	Joshua, of John and Hannah (Veren)	Balsh.
6.	Dec.	Jacob, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell)	Griggs. (Formerly of Gloucester.)

1689.

10.	Jan.	Edward, of John and Emma (Groves)	Bond.
24.	"	David, of Richard and Sarah (Haskell)	Woodberry.
31.	"	Deborah, of Phillip and Deborah (Mansfield)	White.
21.	Feb.	Benjamin, of Richard and Abigail (Woodberry)	Ober.
28.	"	Mary, of Mark and Mary (Smith)	Haskell.
12.	Mar.	Ruth, of Joseph, Sen. and Mary (Dodge)	Herrick.
19.	"	Mary, of John, Jr. and Sarah (Gale)	Stone.
"	"	Sarah, of Joseph and Elizabeth (West)	Woodberry.

Day.	Mo.	
2.	Apr.	Abigail, of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh.
"	"	Martha, of John and Ruth Hebert.
"	"	Rebecca, of Thomas and Charity (Livermore) Whit- tredge.
16.	June.	Joanna, of (Rev.) John and Sarah (Noyes) Hale.
23.	"	Samuel, of John and Sarah Lee (Manchester).
"	"	Elizabeth, of William, Jr. and Ruth (West) Has- kell.
7.	July.	Anna, of Isaac, Jr. and Elizabeth (Herrick) Wood- berry.
25.	Aug.	Robert, of William and Margaret (Corey) Cleaves.
"	"	Mary, of Nicholas and Mary (Eliot) Woodberry.
8.	Sept.	James, of John, Jr. and Martha Raymond.
"	"	Mary, of Joseph and Elizabeth Lovett.
"	"	Sarah, of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.
20.	Oct.	Caleb, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
"	"	Lot, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Mansfield) Conant. (Removed to Bridgewater.)
"	"	Mary, of John and Bethia (Mansfield) Conant.
3.	Nov.	Ithamar, of Ithamar and Bethiah Wooden.
"	"	Mary, of Anthony and Dorcas Coombs.
27.	"	John, of Edward, Jr. and Mary Bishop.

(To be continued.)

MARRIAGE NOTICES, FOR THE WHOLE UNITED STATES. 1785—1794.

(Continued from page 190.)

O'Brien, Charles. Mr. C. O'B., mer., to Miss Patty Cos-
kery. (W. Feb. 29, 1792.)

At Baltimore implied.

O'Brien, Capt. Joseph. At Newbury-Port, Capt. J. O'B.,
to Miss Rebeckah Moody, both of that town. (S. Nov.
18, 1786.)

Odiorne, George. At Exeter, Mr. G. O., of that place, to
Miss Polly Bracket, of Quincy. (W. Dec. 24, 1794.)

- Odiorne, Joanna, m. Rev. Jonathan Strong.
- Ogden, Catharine, m. Abijah Hammond.
- Oldfield, Eliza, m. William Eaton.
- Oles, Nancy, m. Cornelius Lane.
- Oliver, Betsy, m. Charles Pierce.
- Oliver, Daniel. Mr. D. O., merchant, to Miss Abigail Thompson. (W. Nov. 7, 1787.)
- Oliver, Elizabeth, m. Dr. Benjamin Waterhouse.
- Oliver, Robert. [At Portsmouth] Mr. R. O. to Miss Mary Rand. (S. Nov. 22, 1794.)
- Olney, Anstis, m. Thomas Rogerson.
- Olney, Sally, m. James Gardner.
- Orne, Hon. Azor. At Marblehead, the Hon. A. O., Esq., to the relict of the late Joshua Orne, Esquire. (W. May 10, 1786.)
- Orne, Nancy, m. Samuel Gray.
- Orphin, John B. At Nantucket, Mr. J. B. O. to Miss Susannah Gardner. (W. Sept. 14, 1793.)
- Orr, Peggy, m. Miles Barnes.
- Orton, James. At Pittsfield, Mr. J. O. to Miss Electra Graves. (S. May 26, 1792.)
- Osborn, Gubbins. [At Salem] Mr. G. O. to Miss Nancy Cousins. (W. Apr. 17, 1793.)
- Osborn, Lydia, m. William Bordman.
- Osborne, Mrs., m. Major Cookson.
- Osborne, Francis. At Petersburg, Mr. F. O. to Miss Nancy Turndull [Turnbull?]. (W. July 11, 1792.)
- Osborne, John, Mr. J. O., to the agreeable Miss Catherine Macaulay Barber, third daughter of Nat. Barber, Esq., deceased. (W. Mch. 28, 1792.)
- Osgood, Isaac. At Salem, Isaac Osgood, Esq., to Miss Sally Pickman, daughter of the late Mr. Clarke Gayton Pickman. (W. Oct. 20, 1790.)
- Appeared: To the memory of Mrs. Sally Osgood, the amiable consort of Isaac Osgood, Esq., who died at Salem, August, 1791, aged 20. (S. Aug. 20, 1791.)

Osgood, Polly, m. Paul Little, jun.

Osut, Miss, m. Mr. Liillielbridge.

Otis, Dr. Galen. Dr. G. O., of Bromfield, to Miss Joanna Tilden, daughter of Major David Tilden, of this town. (S. Nov. 26, 1785.)

Otis, Hannah, m. Capt. Thomas Nicholson.

Otis, Harrison Gray. By the Rev. Mr. Parker, H. G. O., Esq., to Miss Sally Foster, daughter of William Foster, Esq. (S. June 5, 1790.)

Otis, N. W. [In this town] Mr. N. W. O., of Charleston, (S. C.) to Mrs. Nancy Bourne. (Nov. 1, 1794.)

See also Ebenezer Moulton.

Outram, Miss, m. Capt. Edward Davis.

Packard, Rev. Asa. At Braintree, the Rev. Asa Packard, of Marlborough, to Miss Nancy Quincy, youngest daughter of the late Col. Josiah Quincy. (S. July 31, 1790.)

Page, Capt. Benjamin. At Providence, Capt. B. P. to Miss Ann Sweeting. (S. Nov. 19, 1791.)

Page, Capt. John. At Salem, Capt. J. P. to Miss Esther Mackay, daughter of Capt. Daniel Mackay. (W. Feb. 1, 1792.)

Page, Polly, m. Nathaniel Copeland.

Paine, Amasa. At Westminster (Vermont), A. P., Esq., Attorney-at-law, to Miss Betsey Hower, daughter of the late Capt. Benjamin Hower, of this town. (W. Sept. 29, 1787.)

Paine, Nathaniel. At Worcester, Mr. N. P., Attorney-at-law, to the amiable Miss Elizabeth Chandler, second daughter of the late Gardner Chandler, Esq., of that town, deceased. (W. Dec. 28, 1785.)

Paine, Sally, m. James Perkins.

Paine, William. At Parsonsfield, Mr. W. P. to Miss Hannah Kinsman. (W. Jan. 8, 1794.)

Paleske, Charles Godfried. At Philadelphia, C. G. P., Esq., his Prussian Majesty's Counsel General to the United States of America, to Miss Hannah Elmslie, of that city. (S. May 12, 1792.)

Palfrey, Hannah, m. Jonathan Trask.

Palfrey, Susan, m. William Lee, jun.

Palfrey, Mrs. Susannah, m. Constant Freeman.

Palmer, Eden. [At Danbury] Mr. E. P. to Miss Betsey Bartram. (S. Apr. 7, 1792.)

Palmer, Hannah, m. Richard Yates.

Parker, Elias. On Wednesday evening, by the Rev. Dr. Parker, E. P., Esq., Captain in the late American Army, to the amiable Mrs. Mary Brown of this place. (S. Oct. 2, 1790.)

Parker, Rev. Frederick. At Canterbury, Rev. F. P. to Miss Sukey Foster. (S. Dec. 7, 1793.)

Parker, Isaac. In this town, I. P., Esq., of Penobscot, to Miss Rebecca Hall, of this town. (W. June 25, 1794.)

Parker, Jemima, m. John Pigeon.

Parker, Katy, m. Ebenezer Brown.

Parker, Mrs. Meriam, m. Charles Coffin.

Parker, Nathaniel. At Exeter, N. P., Esq., to Miss Catharine Tilton. (W. Dec. 4, 1793.)

Parker, Polly, m. Loring Bailey.

Parker, Rebecca, m. Samuel Vickary.

Parker, Samuel L. In this town, Mr. S. L. P. to Miss Ruth Adams, daughter to the late Capt. John Adams. (S. Oct. 1, 1791.)

Parkman, William. At Concord, at the house of Duncan Ingraham, Esq., Mr. W. P. to the amiable Miss Lydia Proctor. (S. Jan. 31, 1789.)

Parks, Warham. At Charleston, W. P., Esq., of Westfield, to Miss Gorham, eldest daughter of Nathaniel Gorham, Esq. (S. Dec. 24, 1791.)

Parrot, Elizabeth, m. Jean Toscan.

Parry, Edward. At Portsmouth, m. E. P., mer., to Miss Johanna Chauncey. (S. Nov. 15, 1794.)

Parsons, Elizabeth W., m. Amos Rhodes.

Parsons, Mrs. Martha, m. Edward Rand.

Passmore, Thomas. At Portsmouth, Mr. T. P., of Philadelphia, to Miss Eliza Pierce. (W. May 21, 1794.)

- Passmore, Thomas. Mr. T. P. to Miss Eliza Peirce. (S. May 31, 1794.)
- Patchan, Ralph. At New York, Mr. R. P., to Miss Fanny Yorkison. (S. June 23, 1792.)
- Patrick, Isabella, m. John Spooner.
- Patson [Payson?], Samuel. At Dorchester, Mr. S. P. to Miss Sally Trescot. (W. Apr. 13, 1791.)
- Patten, Nathaniel. At Long-Meadow, Mr. N. P., mer., of Hartford, to Miss Sally Burt. (W. Mch. 7, 1792.)
- Patten, Nathaniel. In this town, Mr. N. P. to Miss Nancy Scott. (W. Oct. 31, 1792.)
- Patten, Polly, m. Thomas Hunt.
- Patten, Robert. At Fredericksburg (Virginia), Mr. R. P., merchant, to Miss Nancy Mercer, daughter to the late Gen. Hugh Mercer. (W. Nov. 14, 1792.)
- Paulding, Julia, m. William Irving, jun.
- Payne, Sally, m. Dr. Miles Littlejohn.
- Payson, Henry. In this town, H. P., Esq., of Baltimore, merchant, to Miss Eunice Crosby, of this town. (S. Apr. 6, 1793.)

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BOOK NOTES.

OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY, MASS. With some related Families of Newbury, Haverhill, Ipswich, and Hampton. By David W. Hoyt. (Address, Providence.) Part I. 8vo. pp. 80. Providence, 1897. (\$1 per part: to be completed in five parts.)

Scores of people perfectly able to afford the small sum the publication of this work calls for, will eagerly consult the printed parts as they appear, but never think of forwarding a subscription in time to guarantee the publication of the remaining parts. Yet without their support this valuable work cannot be continued.

The part in hand reviews the settlement and separation of Salisbury and Amesbury, and contains records of the families included in the alphabetical classification, Allen — Buswell.

The completed book will enumerate 5,000 persons bearing 235 surnames, very few of which have been written about. Aside from partial and brief sketches, which mostly appeared a generation ago, very little has been accomplished in the chosen field of Mr. Hoyt's work. The families of southern New Hampshire and the whole lower Merrimack valley were intimately connected with those of ancient Salisbury.

OLD VIRGINIA AND HER NEIGHBORS. By John Fiske. 2 vols. 8vo. pp. 318, 421. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin, & Co. 1897.

THE CRITICAL PERIOD OF AMERICAN HISTORY. 1783-1789. By John Fiske. 8vo. pp. 368. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin, & Co. 1897. Twenty-second thousand.

THE WESTWARD MOVEMENT. THE COLONIES AND THE REPUBLIC WEST OF THE ALLEGHANIES. 1763-1798. By Justin Winsor. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin, & Co. 1897.

The beginnings of the English settlements in America and the effect of the changed conditions in the South after the introduction of slave labor, the later changes brought about by the great Scotch-Irish migration into the Blue Ridge and beyond, and the welding together of the present United States, are what these books treat about.

The story of Virginia and her neighbors is a concise history of the beginnings and development of the older Southern States of English origin.

The beginnings of New England and the Old Dominion were more intimately connected, both by policy and blood, than we of the present time are accustomed to think. The impartial manner with which Mr. Fiske deals with facts causes his work to have a great and lasting value.

In these two volumes may be found not only a narrative history of the early settlements, but careful inquiries into the authenticity of generally accepted or rejected historical statements. The story of Capt. John Smith is a case in point. The author accepts the romantic story of that wonderful man, and certainly gives most excellent reasons for so doing. After all, the study of history does permit some of the romance to stand. The interest which the learned historian has shown in presenting genealogical facts concerning the promoters and pioneers of the English settlements is justified by the statement that genealogy is an important part of history — a statement quite in keeping with the spirit of the time. Such valuable aids to the student of American institutions as the Johns Hopkins studies, Bruce's "Economic History of Virginia," as well as Brown's "Genesis of the United States," and other older and perhaps better known, but not so reliable historical works, are freely quoted or referred to, enabling the reader to pursue his investigations more in detail if he desires. It is not necessary to dwell upon the rare value of these later works of Mr. Fiske, whose popularity as a historical writer has come from his ability to present the story of the past consistently with the results of modern investigation and teaching.

The "Westward Movement" as told by Mr. Winsor takes up the story of the Scotch-Irish settlement in the west of Virginia where Mr. Fiske leaves off. It does more than this. The story of the attempts of the pioneers to obtain a foothold in the coveted country procured to the British empire by the results of the French wars, and the attempts of the government to keep them out; the establishment of the property line; the concessions granted; the opening of the territory now known as Kentucky and Tennessee, are graphically related.

The influence of the Quebec bill was greatly an aid to the development of a spirit of opposition to the home government. The Virginian war (Dunmore's) against the Indians

was a protest against too great a curtailing of colonial territorial rights. In this book may be found accounts of the proposed colonies west of the Alleghanies, and, as the years pass, the actual settlements. The brave part the people of this section took in the Revolution and the saving of the Western country is told. The cession by the States of their territory to the United States made the settlement of the Ohio country possible. It is only of late years that the occupation and development of the Western country as it then was, and the part it has played in colonial and federal times, has been studied with a correct appreciation of its real importance. This book of Mr. Winsor's admirably covers the field; not a section, but the whole field. His task was to relate the story, and illustrate the methods and impulses, which resulted in enlarging the domain of the English seaboard colonies in 1763, which extended from the Atlantic to the head waters of the Ohio, and so along the mountains southward, to the greater domain possessed by the United States in 1793, when the Mississippi became the western limit of the English-speaking Americans. The maps with which the book abounds, serve to make every step of the narrative clear, and enable one to understand the plans and counterplans of the contending forces seeking ownership and sovereignty in the west.

The lamentable and sudden death of Mr. Winsor, so soon after the issue of his work from the press, is still fresh in the minds of our readers. It need not be written, for all know it, that he was not only a most critical historical student and the highest authority upon American cartography, but a most genial and helpful friend. In the dedication of the volume, to Sir Henry W. Dyke Acland, the author expresses his sense of kindness received while with the party of American librarians at the international conference held in London the past summer.

Students of the genealogy and early local history of the territory between the Alleghanies and the Mississippi will find Mr. Winsor's book of immense aid, for by it may be traced the probable course and successive steps by which the pioneer families sought their final homes.

ALSOP, OF CONNECTICUT.

There were four persons of this name early in Connecticut — Timothy and George, brothers, and Thomas and Joseph, brothers. What connection existed between these two sets of brothers is unknown, but it is surmised that the relationship was not distant, and that they were, therefore, of the same family.

The identity of Timothy and George is proven beyond doubt. Their sister Elizabeth was the wife of Richard Baldwin.

There were others of the name who appear at a slightly later date, concerning whose ancestry little or nothing is known.

Perhaps all were of the same great family, for the Derbyshire family of this name was an extensive one, and of great antiquity.

The arms illustrated are those recorded by Dugdale in his Visitation of Derbyshire in 1662 and revised in 1663.

At that date the pedigree recorded in the Visitation shows the grandfather, father, brother, and nephew of the Connecticut settlers, Timothy and George.

This connection is proven by wills proved in England and printed by Mr. Waters in his genealogical gleanings.

The following is a very brief sketch of the family :

Gamellus de Alsop, assumed as the founder of the family, who is described as father of Gwenode Alsop, who had a grant from William, Lord Ferrers, of the township of Alsop. The pedigree then shows, in line of descent, Henry, Richard, William, Ranulph who was living in 1311, another Ranulph or the same one, Richard living 1342, Thomas living 1387, John living 1412, John living 1441, whose son John was the father of Thomas of Alsop in the Dale, and of John.

Descendants of this later John perpetuated the name, as apparently did a branch of the family which settled in Yorkshire. Thomas Alsop had a son John who married twice, and the John Alsop, of London, who died 1610, was his grandson by his second wife.

By his first wife he had George, of Alsop in the Dale, who had John, eldest son, Thomas, of Hognaston, and George.

John, the eldest son, was father of Anthony, of Alsop in the Dale, who was living in 1611, with whom the Visitation pedigree begins. He had John, eldest son, who died 1631, married Temperance (daughter of William Gilbert, and who married, second, William Hopkins, of Derby), Ranulph, Timothy, Thomas, Ralph, Marmaduke; Ann married a Walton; Sarah and Dorothy married Henry Hopkinson, or Hopkins; John, who married Temperance, died 1631, and had children as follows:

Anthony, of Alsop, born about 1613.

John, died s.p., 1646, leaving a wife, Mary.

Timothy, married Eliza Heires, of Weeton, Co. York, and emigrated to New England before 1646.

George, who removed to New England, but left behind his wife and two children. He married Dorothy, daughter of William Bently, of Shirley, Co. Derby.

If Glover is correct, he had a son John who was born before 1660 and died soon after 1717.

The will of John Alsop, dated 1643, proved 1646, names his mother, Temperance Hopkins, his brother Anthony, *his two brothers and sister living in New England*, and others of his relatives, which serve to identify him with John, the second son of John, who died 1631. This sister was she who, as Elizabeth Alsop, joined the church in Milford, Conn., 5 Feb., 1642/3, and who later married Richard Baldwin. Her son, Sylvanus Baldwin, had administration of the estate of George Alsop in 1679. It is a tradition that George Alsop sheltered the regicides Whalley and Goffe.

Timothy Alsop, in 1640, was a witness in a suit in which Joseph Alsop was also a witness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Boswell, wife of Henry Boswell, of Norwich, was a sister of Josias Alsop, who names her in his will, proved in London 1662, and she is also named "as in New England" in the will of her brother Timothy, of London, in 1662. Josias Alsop, who died in 1656, was a clergyman. Perhaps Joseph and Thomas, who were of the same family.

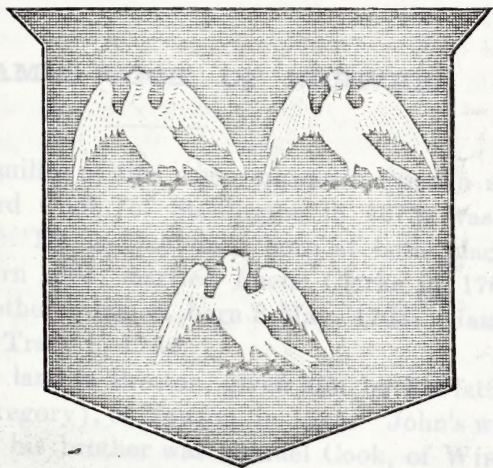
The settlement of these people is nearly by location, and their position in life, and to view that a not distant relationship existed.

For further details see New England Genealogical Register for 1890, 1891, 1892, and the Genealogical Dictionary of New England.



CAPT. JAMES

Two distinct families
Norwich. Richard
Norwich in 1680.
His son, Obed, born
and had among other
married Elizabeth T
John Cook had in



Stephen son of Gregory, John's wife
was Ruth Boston, his daughter. John Cook, of Wind-
ham, 1743, after whose death John had, at Wrentham, James,
son, 1747, who married Rebecca, daughter of John
Larabee, of Norwich, 1747. James was "junior"
and "captain" 1747. He was made in April, 1773, and
died 23 June, 1778.

ALSOP.

Timothy Alsop, in 1646, was a witness in a suit in which Joseph Alsop was also a witness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rossiter, wife of Bray Rossiter, of Guilford, was a sister of Josias Alsop, who names her in his will proved in London 1666, and she is also named "as in New England" in the will of her brother Timothy, of London, in 1664. Josias Alsop, who died in 1666, was a clergyman. Perhaps Joseph and Thomas, who were brothers, were of this family.

The settlement of these people in near-by localities, and their position in life, tend to confirm the view that a not distant relationship existed.

For further details see New England Historical Genealogical Register for 1890, 1891, 1892. Also Savage's Genealogical Dictionary of New England.

CAPT. JAMES COOK, OF NORWICH.

Two distinct families of this name appear in Preston and Norwich. Richard Cook, of Stonington in 1675, was of Norwich in 1680. He had children born at both places. His son Obed, born 1681, married Phebe Clarke in 1704, and had, among others, James, born 8 May, 1708. James married Elizabeth Tracy in 1732.

John Cook had land in Preston, given him by his father Stephen (son of Gregory), of Newton, in 1715. John's wife was Ruth Barton; his brother was Samuel Cook, of Windham. Among other children, John had, at Preston, James, 1 Jan., 1716/17, who married Rebecca, daughter of John Larabee, of Norwich, 9 Oct., 1739. James was "junior" and "captain." His will was made 18 April, 1775, and proved 22 June, 1778.

*Richard Cook, 1675
Stonington, Mass. 1680
Mass. - 1680
Richard Cook, 1675
Cook - Barton*

THE HIGGINSONS IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

(Continued from page 5.)

It is with the Berkeswell branch of the family that we shall presently deal. In this connection, however, the insertion of such entries on Wem parish register as relate to the Higginson family will prove of value.

It is through the kindness of the rector of Wem, Rev. Gilbert H. F. Vane, a lineal descendant of Sir Harry Vane, Governor of Massachusetts Bay, that these entries can be given.

The entries are only given to the year 1600. Following the Register abstracts appear a list of wills of Higginsons of Wem and vicinity, with brief abstracts.

With these and a few gleanings from Garbet, we must abandon, for the present, the Higginsons of Wem.

EXTRACTS FROM THE PARISH REGISTER OF WEM, SALOP.

Burials.

- 1583. Thomas Higginson was buried the XIth daye of Marche.
- 1584. Margery the daughter of George Higginson was buried the VIth daye of June.
- 1584. John the sonne of Edwarde Higginson was buried the XVth daye of Julye.
- 1584. Richarde Higginson was buried the XVIIth daye of September.
- 1584. Jane Higginson was buried the first daye of December.
- 1584. Elizabeth the daughter of Roger Higginson was buried the VIIth daye of februarye.
- 1586. Margery Higginson wydowe was buried the XXth daye of June.
- 1587. John Higginson of Lakeken was buried the XVIth daye of Aprill.
- 1587. Thomas the sonne of Roger Higginson was buried the XVth daye of October.
- 1589. Mary the wyfe of John Higginson was buried the XXth daye of September.
- 1590. William the sonne of John Higginson the eldest was buried the XXVIIth day of December.

1591. Katheryne the daughter of George Higginson was buried the XXIIIth day of October.
1592. Elizabeth the daughter of Edward Higginson was buried the Vth daye of January.
1592. Rycharde Higginson the eldest was buried the XXIIIth daye of October.
1593. Arthure the sonne of George Higginson was buried the VIth daye of Januarye.
1594. Allen Higginson was buried the VIth day of October.
1596. Thomas Higginson of the Loc was buried the XXVIIIth daye of Aprill.
1596. Thomas the sonne of John Higginson the youngest was buried the VIIIth daye of September.
1597. Allen Higginson cleark was buried the XIIIth daye of Aprill.
1597. Margery Higginson widdowe was buried the XVIth daye of Julye.
1597. Allen Higginson of Tilstocke was buried the XIIIth daye of October.
1597. Margaret Higginson wyddowe was buried the Xth daye of february.
1598. Hughe the sonne of John Higginson the youngest was buried the IXth daye of January.
1599. William the sonne of John Higginson the elder was buried the XXVth daye of November.

Christenings.

1584. } Higginson was
} of Maye
1584. Raphe the son George Higginson
baptized the XXVth daye of September {
1584. } cell the sonne of John Higginson
} was baptized the XXVIIIth daye of Januarie
1585. Elizabeth the daughter of Edward Higginson was baptised the IVth daye of Maye
1586. John the sonne of William Higginson was baptised the XVIIIth daye of Marche.
1586. Christopher the sonne of John Higginson was baptised the XXVIIIth daye of Marche.
1586. Thomas the sonne of Roger Higginson was baptised the XVth daye of September.
1587. Rendell the sonne of John Higginson was baptised the Vth daye of Marche.
1587. Thomas the sonne of George Higginson was baptised the XXth daye of Maye
1588. William the sonne of George Higginson was baptised the XVth daye of Marche
1590. William the sonne of John Higginson was baptised the XXth daye of August.
1591. Katherine the daughter of George Higginson was baptised the first daye of August.

1592. Elizabeth the daughter of John Higginson was baptised the XXVIIth daye of Julye.
1593. Rolande the sonne of George Higginson was baptised the XIth daye of february.
1593. Arthur the sonne of George Higginson of Coton was baptised the XIth daye of february.
1596. Rose the daughter of John Higginson was baptised the XXVIIIth daye of Marche.
1596. Thomas the sonne of John Higginson Junior was baptised the XIIIth daye of Maye.
1597. Edmonde the sonne of George Higginson (?) was baptised the VIth daye of October(?)
1598. Rolande the sonne of John Higginson the eldest was baptised the last daye of Aprill.
1598. Hughe the sonne of John Higginson the youngest was baptised the XVIIth daye of June.
1599. George the sonne of William Higginson yeoman was baptised the XXIIIth daye of June.
1599. William the sonne of John Higginson the eldest yeoman was baptised the Vth daye of September
1599. Mary the daughter of John Higginson of Coton the youngest yoman was baptised the XVth daye of Marche.

Marriages.

1584. John Higginson & Mary Hinton were maryed the XXVth daye of Januarye.
1585. Richarde Higginson & Katherine Higginson were maryed the XXVIIIth daye of August.
1585. William Higginson & Margaret Callcott (?) were maryed the IVth daye of December.
1586. Thomas Robinson & Ellyne Higginson were maryed the VIth daye of Maye.
1588. Thomas Ellis & Margery Higginson were maryed the XXVth daye of Januarye.
1590. William Burlton & Elizabeth Higginson were maryed the XXth daye of June.
1591. Leynarde Bromeley & Anne Higginson were maryed the XVIIIth daye of September.
1593. Rolande Wade & Margery Higginson were maryed the last daye of Januarie.
1594. John Margrave (?) & June Higginson were maryed the VIIth daye of february.
1599. George Higginson chapman & Elizabeth the daughter of John Peate husbandmen were maryed the first daye of December.

PROBATE RECORDS FROM LICHFIELD.

AGNES HYGGINSON of Edgmond, Co. Salop. *Dated* 10 January, 1533:

to be buried in church of Edgmond; to Saint Chads of Lych III^d; Thomas Harp, Wyllm Harp, Wyllm Hy——

to Areryatt Higgins a mantyll; to Edgmond church II tapers; to Homfrey Seddon III^d; to S^r Raff Barker III^d; residue to “watt chylde or frynde of myne as wyll pay my debts.”

Executors — Thomas Cheryn and Tho^s. Harper

Witnesses — Homfrey Seddon pryst, Rye Charite, Wyllm Hays, Thomas Harper

= Proved at Lichfield, 10 July 1534, by Thomas Harper —

= Will very dilapidated and half destroyed

THOMAS HYCKYNSON of Kirk Ireton, Co. Derby.

The Will is missing, vide Act Book, it was proved at Lichfield, 27 February, 1545/6, by Agnes Hyckynson, Widow, the relict

WILLIAM HYGGINSON, of the Este Forgyatts, p^{sh} St Giles, neare Salop, Sherman, granted at Lichfield, 4. October 1552, to Helene Hyggynson, the relict.

Inventory 29 September, 5. Edw^d. VI.

Surety — Rad Barker of Wolorcott, Husbandman

HALEN HEKENSON, of Broughton Shrewsbury, co. Salop. *Dated* 29 December 1554:

buried in churchyard of Broughton; to “my foure chyldren” Roger, Elen, Noesse, and Cesslie, 40/ each; “my daughter in law” 40/; Thomas my son.

Executors — John Nouley and Bessey my Wife.

Witnesses — John Howell, John Predan.

= Inventory, 29 December 1554 (ye day of his departyng), by Jhon Preten & Richard Rosell —

= Proved at Lichfield, 13 May 1555.

ELLYN HYGGINSON, of Shrewsbury, Wedowe. *Dated* 24 February, 1555:

to Alles Hyggynson “my son Wyllyam’s bastard daughter” — pans, potts & pewter dishes; —

to Raff Barker a mattress; residue to Wyllyam Hyggynson, and appoint him executor.

Witnesses — Tho^s. Lyenew, George Hyggons.

- = Inventory (no date) by Thomas Sherarand and Rye Glacyer.
- = Proved at Lichfield, 4 May, 1556, "2^d & 3^d of Philip and Mary."

ELIZABETH HIGGINSON, of Ruiton, Co. Salop, Widow. *Dated* 19 January, 39 Eliz: A.D. 1596:

my son Richard Higginson to pay my son John Higginson £13.6.8, and to my daughter Jane £3, and to my daughter Margery 40/:

my son Thomas deceased; "if the said Margery do live after she is delivered of the childe she is now grete of;"

my son John to pay unto John Blanche and Elizabeth the children of Tho^r Robbins 6/ 8; —

to my daughter Ellene — clothing; to my daughter Jane — clothing; to Anne Menlove, clothing; my daughter Ann Beddoe; Roger Beddoe my brother in law; hay, etc. my son John, Jane my daughter and John Grace —

Executor — my son John Higginson.

Overseer — my brother in law, Roger Beddoe.

Debts — to my brother William Menlove, David Beddoe and Roger Grison.

Witnesses — Tho^r Daues, Roger Beddoe, David Beddoe and Jane Higginson.

= Inventory (of the Lowe, psh. Wem, Co. Salop, Wid.) 17 March 39. Elizabeth, by Rich^d Peye and Ralph Mides.

= Proved at Lichfield 24 May 1597.

RAPHE HIGGINSON, of St Allemunds, Salop, Corviser. *Dated* 13 January 1607; buried in St. Allemunds;

to Ales my Wife, my goods; to Thomas my son — apostle Silver spoons &c; to my son in law William Aston — apparel &c; to my daughter Sara, a gowne; to Ales Aston my daughter Sarah's chylde £5; to Amy Aston 50/; to Mary Aston 50/; to Thomas Aston 40/;

Executrix — Ales my Wife,

Witnesses — Thomas Lloyd Clarke, Griffie ap Pritchard, Reese Griffith, Katherine ap Pritchard,

= Inventory, 4. March 1607, by Thomas Bowker, Tanner, and Griffith ap Pritchard

= Proved at Lichfield 1. June 1608.

ALES HIGGINSON of Shrewsbury, Co. Salop, Widow. *Dated* 11 July, 1615; buried near my pew in the church;

"my late husband Raphe Higginson dec^d hath lefte to my sone Thomas Higginson and my daughter Sara and her children" certain legacies,

to my son in law William Astle 40/ & to his son Edward Astle 40/; to my goddaughter Ales Astle a gowne; to my daughter Sara — apparel; rest to my said son and daughter.

Overseer — Thomas Lloyd, Clerke,

Witnesses — Robert Sheerer, Peter Whitcombe, Isacke Longdon,

= Inventory, 18 august 1615, by Raphe Astle, Tho^s. Bowker, Griffith ap Pritchard and Isacke Longdon —

= Proved at Lichfield, 5 September, 1615

JOHAN HYGGINSON of Weme, Co. Salop. Dated 8 February, 1542; buried in ye church or chyard of Weme;

5/ to church of Weme; xx^s to my daughter Elsabet; my son Thomas; my son Wyllm; rest. half to "my Wieff" and other halfe to my chylde according to ye custome.

Executors — Rychard Drurye pryst and Alane my Sone, —

Witnesses — Wyllm Watkys of Aston, Wyllm Powy of Weme

= Inventory — the name given is "*Joane*" Hyggynson —

= Proved at Lichfield, 5 July, 1543.

Will, *much* decayed

WYLLA HYGGINSON, of Wem, Co. Salop. Dated 19 July, 1548:

I "being demytted to the Kinges Comysshioners for to goo onto the Kinges warfere unto Skhotlande;" to be buried where itt shall please God; to Elsabath Drurye fowrre markys; to Rycharde Newnes my brother in lawe xx^s; to Rycharde Haylys a heyfer; rest to Thomas my brother and appoint him my executor.

Witnesses — Homfrey Drury, Rycharde Newnes.

= Inventory by John Alysson, baly, of Wem, Hugh Rycroft.

= Proved at Lichfield, 30. September, 1549.

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PRESTON, CONN., RECORDS OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

BY FRANK PALMER.

BOOK I.

(The original Index occupies pages one to six. The book having been recently rebound and repaged there is now a new index.)

(7)* Mr. Salmon Treat m. 12 Apr. 1698, Dorothy Noyes (dau. of Rev. James), and had Annah, b. 26 Aug. 1699, James, b. 29 Nov. 1700, Dorothy, b. 9 Feb'y 170 $\frac{3}{4}$, Jerusha, b. 21 Nov. 1704, Prudence, b. 23 Nov. 1706, Sarah, b. 19 Sept. 1708, Rebeckah, b. 29 June 1710, Sam^l, b. 21 July 1712, Jemima, b. 27 Nov. 1714; Dorothy, the wife, d. 6 Dec. 1714; Mr. Salmon Treat m. 6 Nov. 1716 Mary Parke.

"The age of Joseph Bennets children." †

Phineas b. 8 July 1732, Hezekiah b. 30 Nov. 1735.

(8) "Jon Prentes"

Jn^o Prente m. 29 Sept. 1715 Sarah wood, and had Mary, b. 22 June 1716, Elisabeth, b. 21 June 1719, "Sam^l Prentice" b. 3 Nov. 1721.

"Dauid Aiers"

Charity (dau. of Dauid and Jerusha) b. 13 May 1724, Dauid, b. 28 Aug. 1727, "Daniel Ayer," b. 13 Mch. 1734, Jesse b. 20 Feb'y 173 $\frac{2}{7}$, Charity, b. 6 Aug. 1748, Elisha, b. 4 Mch. 174 $\frac{2}{5}$.

(9) "The mariadg of john Rude and mary ede."

John Rude m. 24 June 1687 Mary Ede, and had John "first child," b. 5 Nov. 1688, Zachariah, b. 1 July 1690, Jacob, b. 18 Nov. 1693, Mary, b. 15 Apr. 1695, Joseph, b. 25 Nov. 1698, Noah b. 30 Oct. 1704.

* These references are to old paging.

† Quotation marks are used to mark any peculiarities in the record.

"In Preston, New London county Ss. John Rude of Sd Preston Dyed March ye 14th AD 170 $\frac{1}{2}$."

"Jacob Eliot."

Jacob Eliot (son of Jacob and Hannah) b. 11 May 171 —, Hannah b. 29 Oct. 1718, Andrew b. 14 Jan'y 172 $\frac{1}{2}$, Keziah b. 11 Mch. 172 $\frac{4}{5}$; Hannah, "late wife," d. 29 Dec. "1742."

Jacob Eliot m. "to his Second wife Mary Barney" 22 Sept. "1742."

(10) "Thomas Rose."

Thomas Rose "son of Thomas Rose" b. 27 Feb'y 1705, Peter b. 19 June 1707, John b. 2 Aug. 1709, Elisabeth b. 4 Mch. 1712, Josiah b. 27 Apr. 1713. "The above named Thomas Rose" d. 15 May 1733. "The above named Josiah" d. 20 Jan'y 173 $\frac{3}{4}$. "May Rose widow to y^e above sd Thomas Rose" d. 7 June 1737.

"John Rea."

John Rea m. 22 Apr. 1718 Abigall Herrick, and had Elizabeth b. 20 Feb'y 171 $\frac{8}{9}$, Abigall b. 22 Apr. 1721, Lidia b. 9 Apr. 1724.

(11) "The marriadge of jonathan Rudd and marcy bushnell."

Jonathan Rudd m. 19 Dec. 1678 Marcy Bushnell, and had Jonathan b. 22 Mch. 1682, Nathanell b. 22 May 1684, Mary b. 15 Oct. 1686, Abigail b. 2 "fauerwary" 1688; Jonathan "husband of Marcy Rudd Deyed Agust 19th 1689."

"Isaac wedg" "son of Isaac wedg."

William Wedg b. 2 Mch. 170 $\frac{8}{9}$.

Mary Charles (dau. of Richard and Lidia) b. 21 Oct. 1724.

Caleb fobes.

(12) Caleb fobes m. 21 May 1713 Abigell Gates, and had Abigell b. 25 Mch. 1714, Joshua b. 22 Sept. 1715, Sarah b. 3 Dec. 1717, Caleb, b. 20 June 1719, Simon b. 2 Feb'y 172 $\frac{1}{2}$, Bethiah b. — Feb'y 172 $\frac{5}{6}$. "Mrs. Abigail Fobes the late wife of Mr. Caleb Fobes" d. 10 July 1774.

Joseph Safford m. 20 Dec. 1727 Patience Yeomans, and had John b. 31 Mch. 1729, Joseph b. 8 Feb'y 17 $\frac{31}{10}$, Hannah b. 26 Nov. 1732, Sarah b. 3 Mch. 1734, Lucretia b. 1 May 1737, Jonathan b. 21 Sept. 1738, David b. 21 Sept. 1740.

(13) "the marriage of Jonathan Tracy and Mary Griswold July 11th 1672."

Jonathan b. 21 Feb'y 167 $\frac{4}{5}$, Hannah b. 8 July 1677, Christopher b. 1 May 1680, Mary b. 7 Sept. 1682, Maryam b. 23 Apr. 1685, Daud b. 24 Sept. 1687, Frances (dau.?) b. 1 Apr. 1690, Sary b. 2 Aug. 1692, d. 6 Sept. 1693, Samuell b. 6 June 1697, Jonathan d. 25 Feb'y 1704, Mary "wife of Jonathan Tracy Senr." d. 24 Apr. 1711 "in the 55 yere of her age." Jonathan Tracy m. 21 Aug. 1711 Mary Richard.

Joseph Clark (son of John and Deborah) b. 6 May 1712.

(14) William Parke m. 3 Dec. 1684 Hannah Frink, and had Hannah b. 10 Sept. 1685, William b. 8 Dec. 1687, Joshua b. 11 Jan'y 16 $\frac{29}{11}$, Judeth b. 28 Nov. 1693, Deborah b. 5 Aug. 1696, Martha b. 1 Apr. 1699, John b. 5 Apr. 1701; Hannah "wife of above sd. William Parke" d. 28 Mch. 1705; William Parke m. 2d 3 Oct. 1707 Hannah Plimpton, and she d. 1 Jan'y 1712; "William Parke junio^r Dyed — — 1710." "William Parke was married to his 3^d wife ye 11th Day of July 1716"; "Mary ye 3d wife of ye above s^d William Parke" d. 15 Oct. 1726.

(15) Thomas Dauison m. 28 Nov. 1695 Hannah Tracy, and had Jonathan b. 30 Aug. 1697, Margret b. 8 Mch. 1699, Thomas b. 30 Jan'y 1702, Christopher b. 23 May 1705, John b. 23 May 1708, Hannah b. 23 Feb'y 1711, Sam^l b. 8 Oct. 1715. "The above Named Thomas Dauison" d. 2 Dec. 1724, "ye above Named Margret Dauison Died ye Last of August 1725."

"Thomas Gates Senr. of Preston" d. 10 Aug. 1726.

John Vtter m. 25 Mch. 172 $\frac{4}{5}$ Jemime Beniamins, and had John b. 23 Nov. 1726.

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ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

(Continued from page 16.)

50. Lydia³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born 1688, probably in Little Compton; married, Jan'y 4, 1710, in Little Compton, John Bailly. I think he was son of John and Sutton Bailly, of Newport, born before 1690. He received land in Newport in 1733, from his father's estate. It is possible that John may have been the son of Edward and Frances Bailey,* of Newport and Tiverton; but I think not. John Bailey, Senr., speaks of Benjamin, son of John, to receive £50 when of age.

Children on Little Compton Records:

274 Joseph⁴ Bailey, born Oct. 29, 1710; d. Jan. 1711.

275 John Bailey, born April 13, 1712.

276 Joseph Bailey, 2d, born Sept. 22, 1714.

277 Gideon Bailey, born , 1716.

278. Benjamin Bailey, born 1718.

51 Sarah³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born probably in Little Compton, 1690. She died Jan. 2, 1741; married in Little Compton, "Samuel Tompkins and Sarah Coe; married by Benjamin Church, Justice, Jan. 24, 1712." He was son of Samuel and Elizabeth () Tompkins; born 1680 and died May, 1760.

Children on Little Compton Records:

279. Joseph⁴ Tompkins, born Oct. 26, 1712.

280. John Tompkins, born Sept. 14, ?

* See Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island.

281. Elizabeth Tompkins, born Dec. 8, 1715.
282. Christopher Tompkins, born Dec. 8, 1715.
283. Abigail Tompkins, born Jan. 28, 1717.
284. Nathaniel Tompkins, born Nov. 19, 1719; died Jan. 20, 1724.
285. Gideon Tompkins, probably died young. L. C. Rec. say d. March, 1774, which I think alludes to another.
286. Micah Tompkins, born Jan. 20, 1722. Died young.
287. Benjamin Tompkins, born Jan. 26, 1723.
288. Augustine Tompkins, born March 19, 1725; died Feb. 16, 1749.
289. Priscilla Tompkins, born June 6, 1726; d. Aug. 18, 1739.
290. Wm. Tompkins, born Oct. 17, 1730; died Nov. 1768.

Will dated 24 July, 1758. To son Joseph; son Christopher: all real estate in Little Compton; To son Benj., £5 — ten years after decease; to son Wm. £50 in 2 years; to two daus. Eliz. and Abigail, £30 in two years, also privilege of living in the house, apples, etc., etc., and all household goods to be divided between them. To four grandchildren, children of son of John deceased when they come of age. Witnessed, Wm. Simmons, Benjamin Seabury, Nathl. Searles. Recorded, June 9, 1760. Estate, £1837-10-0.

52. Samuel³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton (T. Rec., Dec. 12, 1692). Grave-stone in Little Compton says: "Died Dec. 25 in 1740, in 50 year of his age." Married by Benjamin Church, Justice, April 8, 1716, Mary Chadwick. Otis Wilborn, of Little Compton, copied the old births, deaths, and marriages, and added his *impressions* to the records. He makes this Samuel Coe marry twice. His son, Samuel Coe, died young, and the wife of the second Samuel is given to the father. The proof of my statements can be found at the Probate Records of Taunton. His will, Book 10, pages 24-58-108-109. Guardianship of children, Elizabeth, pages 105-125; Matthew, page 101; Priscilla, page 29; Sarah, pages 24-58-108-109.

In his will he speaks of wife Mary. In 1741 she is given the guardianship of John and Elizabeth, under 14.

Children on Little Compton Records :

- 291 Isaac⁴ Coe, born in Little Compton, March 27, 1717; supposed to be buried in Newport, R.I.; died July 25, 1739, æ. 23 years.
- 292. Samuel Coe, born Jan. 1, 1720.
- 293. Priscilla Coe, born May 6, 1723.
- 294. Sarah Coe, born June 29, 1725.
- 295. Matthew Coe, born , 1727.
- 296. John Coe, born Nov. 23, 1728; d. Dec. 16, 1728.
- 297. John Coe,)
- 298. Elizabeth Coe, } In 1727-8, Isaac, Samuel, Matthew,
 Priscilla & Sarah, children of Samuel
 and Mary Coe, bapt. in L. C. church.

53. Elizabeth³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 28, 1694; married in Little Compton, July 27, 1720, Edward Burgess, son of Thomas and Esther (Richmond) Burgess, born 1692, either in Little Compton or Newport. Burgess Genealogy says they lived in Newport. This may be so, after the birth of their children, but their children are on Little Compton Records, and they and their children were baptized in L. C. church in 1727 and 1728 — "Edward Burgess and Elizabeth his wife, and Thomas and Esther their children."

- 299. Benjamin⁴ Burgess, born Sept. 27, 1721; died Feb. 5, 1722.
- 300. Thomas Burgess, born Sept. 6, 1723.
- 301. Esther Burgess, born July 27, 1725.
- 302. Benjamin Burgess, born July 13, 1728.
- 303. Sarah Burgess, born Oct. 24, 1730.
- 304. Lydia Burgess, born Feb. 15, 1734.

54. Hannah³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, R.I., Dec. 29, 1696; died and was buried in Little Compton old graveyard in her father's lot. "In memory of Hannah Coe, died Oct. ye 7, 1757, in

ye 62 year of her age." She married her cousin, a Coe of Casco Bay, one of three sons of an uncle who settled there. This marriage and the name of her husband cannot be found, because of the destruction of the records. He went to sea and was lost, and she returned to her father's house with her only child, Ruth. She was admitted to the church on her return to Little Compton, Oct. 1, 1730, and her dau. Ruth was baptized 1727-8 (*Church Records*), at the same time that her cousins the Burgesses, and Coes were.

Child:

305. Ruth Coe, baptized 1727. "Hannah Coe. Ruth, ye daughter of Hannah Coe."

55. John³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 1, 1699; died Nov. —, 1784. Married by Richard Billings, Justice, Int. June 21; married July 10, 1741, Rebecca Taylor who was born Jan. 4, 1719.

At the time of his father's death he was in Casco Bay. After a time he returned and was a shoemaker, going from house to house, as was customary in those days, taking the measures of the members of the household. Visiting Mr. Taylor's, he saw Rebecca, a mere child, and made her her first pair of shoes. He said, "I will wait for her," and he married her when she was 21."

Children on Little Compton Records:

- 306. Lydia⁴ Coe, born March 28, 1742.
- 307. Isaac Coe, born April 23, 1744; died early, unknown.
- 308. Samuel Coe, March 20, 1746.
- 309. Wm. Coe, born Feb. 20, 1748.
- 310. John Coe, born Oct. 27, 1750.
- 311. Benjamin Coe, born May 3, 1753.
- 312. Sarah Coe, born , 1756.
- 313. Hannah Coe, born July 9, 1759. Gravestone says, "Miss Hannah Coe, daughter of John and Sarah Coe, died Dec. 3, 1850, aged 91." A niece, Mrs Deacia Wood, who remembered her perfectly, says the name Sarah was a mistake of the stonecutter.

56. Joseph³ Coe (Sarah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 24, 1700, died April , 1770. Page 431, 2d Book, Little Compton Records (Probate), has his will: Joseph Coe gives to nephew Benjamin Coe all his property. He lived with his brother John and later with his nephew Benjamin. He was an astronomer and made almanacs. Was well educated. He never married.

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GEORGE HUBBARD AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS.

(Continued from page 239, Vol. V.)

2. JOHN² HUBBARD, whom we have seen by his own testimony declared a son of George Hubbard, of Weathersfield, was born about 1630. "He is said to have resided in Concord, Mass., with his relations, the Merriams (Hubbard Genealogy, by E. W. Day). April 18, 1659, he was one of the signers for the settlement of Norwottuck, now Hadley, Mass. In Weathersfield he married Mary —, by some considered to have been a Merriam, a near relation of Robert Merriam, of Concord, Mass.; by others, to have been one of the Sheafe family, to which Robert Merriam's wife, Mary (*née* Sheafe), belonged. In Weathersfield they had children:

1. Mary, born Jan. 7, 1651; died young.
2. John, born April 12, 1655; mar. in 1676, Mary, dau. of Thomas Wright, and resided in Glastonbury, Conn.
3. Hannah, born Dec. 5, 1656; d. 1662.
4. Jonathan, born Jan. 3, 1659.

From Weathersfield they removed to Hadley, Mass., where they had —

5. Daniel, born March 9, 1661; m. Nov. 1, 1683, Esther Rice; d. Feb. 12, 1744.
6. Mercy, b. Feb. 23, 1664; m. Oct. 22, 1685, Lieut. Jonathan Boardman.

7. Isaac, b. Jan. 16, 1667; m. Am. Warner; d. in Sunderland, Mass., Aug. 7, 1750.
8. Mary, b. April 10, 1669; m. Dec. 12, 1688, Deacon Warner, Sen., Harwich, Mass.
9. Sarah, b. Nov. 12, 1672; m. Samuel Cowles, of Hadley.

John Hubbard died in Hadley, in his son Isaac's house, about 1705.

3. JONATHAN HUBBARD, son of John and Mary Hubbard, was born in Weathersfield, Conn., Jan. 3, 1659. He must have been a lad when he went to Concord, Mass., to live with his uncle, Robert Merriam, as is shown by this passage in his uncle's will, Dec. 10, 1681: "I bequeath to my cosen, Jonathan Hubbard, who lives with me, 20 shillings." Mrs. Mary (Sheafe) Merriam, widow of Robert Merriam, in her will of Feb. 11, 1686-7, says: "I give my cosen, Jonathan Hubbard, who lives in my house, all my housings and lands in Concord which my late husband gave me and the meadow I bought of John Miller, and the wood lot." She also bequeaths to "my brother, Jacob Sheafe's daughter." Robert Merriam had married Mary, daughter of Edmund Sheafe, of Cranbrook, Co. Kent, Eng., where she was baptized Sept. 20, 1620. On their arrival in New England they first settled in Charlestown, Mass.; thence removed to Concord. Her brother, Jacob Sheafe, was in Weathersfield, Conn., and on the purchase of his lands by George Hubbard, he removed to Boston, Mass. The fact of this purchase and that Mrs. Mary (Sheafe) Merriam gave all her lands in Concord to her nephew, Jonathan Hubbard, seems to point to Mary, wife of John and mother of Jonathan Hubbard, as coming from the Sheafe rather than the Merriam family.

This estate inherited by Jonathan Hubbard "lay near the meeting house." His will was dated in Concord, Aug. 5, 1724, and was carried into Middlesex Probate Court, Nov. 25, 1728. He gave his wife, Hannah, the east end of his house, and made provisions for her comfortable maintenance

"during her natural life," after which his son, Ebenezer, was to inherit the homestead.

JONATHAN HUBBARD married, March 15, 1681, Hannah, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (King) Rice, who was born in Sudbury, Mass., 1658; died in Concord, April 9, 1747; he died in Concord, July 17, 1728.

They had children born in Concord:

1. Mary, born [3. 4. 1682; married, 1698, Daniel Davis, April 27.
2. Jonathan, born 18. 6. 1683; married Rebecca
3. Hannah, born April 20, 1685; married Temple
4. Samuel, born April 27, 1687; married Dec. 9, 1709, Sarah Clark.
5. Joseph, born Feb. 8, 1688-9; married Nov. 10, 1713, Rebecca Bulkeley.
6. Elisabeth, born June 16, 1691; married July 12, 1710, Samuel Heywood.
7. John, born March 12, 1692-3; married (1) Nov. 14, 1716, Hannah Blood; married (2) Asubah Moore, of Sudbury, Mass.
8. Daniel, born Nov. 20, 1694; married Dec. 5, 1717, Dorothy Dakin.
9. Thomas, born Aug. 27, 1696; married Mary
10. Abigail, born July 20, 1698-9; married Jan. 10, 1721-2, Samul Fletcher.
11. Ebenezer, born Dec. 28, 1700.

4. EBENEZER HUBBARD, son of Jonathan and Hannah (Rice) Hubbard, was born in Concord, Dec. 28, 1700. He inherited the homestead which had been bequeathed by the Merriams to his father, and bought other land in Concord and Rutland, Mass. In his will, which was written April 5, 1755, he says he was "in declining health." He devised to his wife, Mary, one-half of movable goods, his negro boy, Park, his great Bible, which, after her decease, was to be given to his son Ebenezer. To his daughter Mary and her husband, Benjamin Miles, he gave one-half of his land in Rutland, Mass., bequeathing the other half to his daughters Elizabeth and

Sarah, and gave all his remaining estate to his son Ebenezer, in Concord, "lying near the meeting house." His will was probated June 16, 1755.

Ebenezer Hubbard married Mary, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Barron) Billings, who was born Aug. 16, 1704. He died May 21, 1755, and she married (2d) June 6, 1759, Lieut. Andrew Conant. She died Nov. 30, 1763, and was buried beside her first husband in the Hill Cemetery, in Concord. They had children :

1. Ebenezer, b. Mar. 1, 1725-6.
2. Mary, b. Oct. 19, 1729; m. Benjamin Miles.
3. Jonathan, b. July 6, 1733; died June 13, 1736.
4. John, b. July 13, 1737; died May 6, 1738.
5. Elizabeth, b. July 18, 1740.
6. Daniel, b. Dec. 23, 1741; died Nov. 5, 1746.
7. Sarah, b. Jan. 19, 1743.
8. Jonathan, b. Sept. 6, 1745; died Feb. 17, 1746.

5. EBENEZER HUBBARD, son of Ebenezer and Mary (Billings) Hubbard, was born in Concord, March 1, 1725. According to his father's will, he lived on the homestead. During the Revolution he was active and patriotic. As every man and boy in Concord "turned out" on the alarm of the coming of the British from Lexington, April 19, 1775, he necessarily was one of those who gathered with the militia, or who took careful aim at the "red-coats" from behind the old stone walls or sheltering trees. He drove his wagon to Boston to obtain supplies. His house was used for storage, and one end of it was pulled out when the English soldiers raided the town, and the flour was poured into the roadway. His will was drawn May 10, 1804. He made ample provision for his wife, Hannah, and she was to care for their son, Samuel, "who was incapable." He gave his silver tankard to his grandson, Ebenezer, son of his son, the Rev. Ebenezer Hubbard, of Marblehead, Mass., then deceased; after his wife's death, he bequeathed the Concord homestead to his grandson Ebenezer, his son David's son, on condition that

this grandson should assume the charge of his uncle Samuel "as long as he lived." Feb. 4, 1807, he added a codicil on the death of his wife, willed the great clock, family Bible, and estate to his grandson, Ebenezer, "son of his son David," if said grandson should "care for his uncle Samuel acceptably to Tilly Mirick," one of the executors of the will. He gave his son Joseph \$15; his son David \$24; his son Samuel a bed, a silver spoon marked "S. E.," and the "clock which stands in the north room." To his son Joseph, in lieu of the legacy before mentioned, \$50; the rest of the estate to be divided equally between his daughters. The inventory was taken Oct. 15, 1807, which names his homestead near the meeting-house, dwelling-house, barn, out-buildings, and adjacent land, with land near the mill, about 30 acres, the saw-mill lot in the north of Concord of 60 acres, and 130 acres in the south part of the town.

This estate was the same as that which the first of the name, Jonathan Hubbard, owned, who built his house in 1670, being one of the nineteen settlers who incorporated the town, and in this house the first religious services were held. He became town treasurer and selectman. At the time of Jonathan's decease he owned some six hundred acres of land. Both land and offices were held by his son Ebenezer, who transmitted the homestead lot to his son, Ebenezer, 2d. This house is the only one drawn on the map of the battle of Lexington.

Ebenezer Hubbard married, in Lexington, Mass., May 7, 1752, Hannah, daughter of Joseph and Hannah (Bowman) Estabrook, who was born in Lexington, Oct. 6, 1731; died in Concord, Jan. 27, 1807; he died Oct. 1, 1807, in Concord.

They had children :

1. Hannah, b. July 29, 1753.
2. David, b. Sept. 16, 1754.
3. Mary, b. Aug. 12, 1756.
4. Ebenezer, b. May 22, 1758; was graduated by Harvard

College 1771, ordained in the ministry and settled over the parish in Marblehead, Mass., Jan. 1, 1783; where he married a daughter of Colonel Jonathan Glover, and died Dec. 15, 1800, in his 43d year.

5. Milicent, b. July 4, 1760.
6. Phebe, b. Oct. 31, 1762; d. June 1, 1766.
7. Sarah, b. Feb. 3, 1765.
8. Phebe, died Feb. 24, 1771.
9. Joseph, b. Jan. 11, 1769.
10. Samuel, b. Nov. 24, 1770.
11. Betsey, b. July 22, 1774; d. Sept. 12, 1775.

At the death of Ebenezer Hubbard, the old homestead, by his will, went to his grandson, Ebenezer Hubbard, son of his son David and Mary Barrett, on conditions which were evidently fulfilled, and the house was next owned and occupied by David's son, Ebenezer, who took much delight in the ancestral home, where his ancestors had entertained General Washington, and had shown warm patriotism in the troublous times. Ebenezer on his death left a will in which he bequeathed the first money for the Concord statue of the Minute Man—unveiled at the Concord Centennial. The house was then torn down, the farm sold, and Hubbard street runs through it. His cousin Ebenezer at Oshkosh was one of his legatees.

JOSEPH HUBBARD, son of Ebenezer and Hannah (Estabrook) Hubbard, was born in Concord, January 11, 1769; he resided in his father's house after his marriage for some years; then, with his wife and three children, removed to Fairfield, Me. He married in Sudbury, Mass.,—marriage intention published in Concord, August 9, 1796,—Jane Moore, of Sudbury, who was born in Sudbury, August 21, 1773, and died in Canaan, Me., Jan. 28, 1869, aged 95 years; he died in Canaan, June 26, 1850, aged 81 years.

They had children:

1. Joseph, b. in Concord, Jan. 11, 1798.
2. Augustus, b. in Concord, 1801.

3. Eliza, b. in Fairfield, Me., July 21, 1804.
4. Ebenezer, b. in Canaan, Feb. 26, 1807.
5. Jane, b. in Canaan, Feb. 12, 1810.
6. George, b. in Canaan, June 24, 1812.
7. Maria, b. in Canaan, Nov. 21, 1814.

EBENEZER HUBBARD, son of Joseph and Jane (Moore) Hubbard, was born in Canaan, Me., Feb. 26, 1807; he early went to Lincoln, Me., and engaged in lumber business. After his marriage he started for the western part of the United States and settled at Oshkosh, which was then merely a part of prairie land, when but a few houses had been built — when there were not roads, churches, nor school-houses; it was simply a settlement of a few enterprising men who desired more acres than they could compass in their Eastern homes. Here he built a saw-mill on the southern bank of the Fox river, invested the money which he brought from the East, in pine lands, paying for his farm lands \$1.25 per acre, investing the profits from his mill in bank stock and the like securities. During his life the prairie became a large and thriving city of thirty thousand people.

Ebenezer Hubbard married in Lincoln, Me., Mary Thompson, daughter of Charles and Martha Thompson, who was born Brookfield, Me.; died in Escambia, Florida, January 17, 1891; Ebenezer died at Oshkosh, April 30, 1880.

They had children:

1. Martha, b. in Lincoln, Nov., 1839.
2. Ellen, b. in Lincoln, Nov., 1842.

Martha married James Johnston, and lives in Chicago. Children not living.

Ellen Hubbard, daughter of Ebenezer and Mary (Thompson) Hubbard, was born in Lincoln, Me., 1842; married June 24, 1860, at her father's home in Oshkosh, Emory Fiske Skinner, son of Alfred and Elizabeth Skinner, who was born in Sherburne, N.Y. They removed to Es-

cambia, Florida, where he has established a large lumber district, and is president of the Skinner Manufacturing Company. With him is associated their only son, Eben. Hubbard, who was born 1861. He was first a student in the Bingham Military Academy, in Asheville, North Carolina, and later was graduated by the Sheffield Scientific School, Yale College, New Haven, Conn. He married , 1887, at Hildesheim, Germany, Marguerite Orthams, daughter of Henry and Henrietta Orthams, who was born in Hildesheim, 1864.

They have children :

1. Ellen, b. in Escambia, Aug. 1, 1888.
2. Marguerite, b. in Hildesheim, Sept. 30, 1889.
3. Mary Simpson, b. in Escambia, Nov., 1890.
4. Emory Hubbard, b. in Chicago, Ill., Oct., 1892.
5. Dorothy Beatrice, b. in Escambia, Dec., 1895.

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

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1690.

Day.	Mo.	
16.	Jan.	Joanna, of Thomas and Sarah Gage.
12.	Feb.	William, of John and Christian (Woodberry) Trask.
23.	Mar.	Nathaniel, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Richards.
"	"	Charity, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge.
30.	"	Caleb, of William, Sen. and Hannah (Haskell) Woodberry.
3.	Apr.	William, of William, Jr. and Mary (Kettell) Raymond.
20.	"	Joanna, of Andrew and Emma (Eliot) Woodberry.
27.	"	John and Nathaniel, of James and Elizabeth (Hayward) Kettell.
4.	May.	Sarah, of Nathaniel, Jr. and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
11.	"	Joseph, John, and Ruth, of Joseph and Ruth (Balsh) Drinker.

Day.	Mo.		
18.	May.	Eleanor, of Edmund and Eleanor	Ashby.
8.	June.	Joseph and Elizabeth, of Joseph and Elizabeth (West) Woodberry.	
"	"	Rhoda, of George and Bethiah (Lovett) Standley.	
"	"	Thomas and Elizabeth, of Thomas and Hannah Cox.	
"	"	Judah, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell.	
15.	"	Josiah, of Thomas and Mary (Coombs) Raymond.	
"	"	Rachel, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Ray- mond.	
29.	"	Miriam (Hill), wife of William Haskell, Sen.	
"	"	Phillip, of Phillip and Deborah (Mansfield) White.	
"	"	Mary, of James and Emma	Taylor.
6.	July.	Mrs. Abigail Balaam, and her son Thomas.	
13.	"	John, of William and Rachel (Raymond) Bradford.	
20.	"	Abigail, of Lot and Abigail	Conant.
"	"	Catharine, of John and Sarah	Clark.

1691.

1.	Mar.	Edith, of Joseph, Sen. and Mary (Dodge) Herrick.	
15.	"	Samuel, of Thomas and widow Elizabeth (Curtis) Woodberry.	
"	"	Nathan, of Humphrey and Anna (Window) Wood- berry.	
22.	"	Sarah, of Richard and Sarah (Haskell) Woodberry.	
29.	"	Priscilla, of John, Jr. and Sarah (Gale) Stone.	
5.	Apr.	Mary, of William and Mary (Parker) Eliot.	
19.	"	Sarah, of John Hebert. Wife deceased.	
26.	"	Elizabeth, of Thomas and Charity (Livermore) Whittredge.	
3.	May.	Anna, of Phillip and Hannah (Baker) Babson.	
7.	June.	Elizabeth (Hoar), wife of Christopher Reed.	
"	"	Rebecca, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell) Griggs.	
5.	July.	Jeremiah, Mary, Abigail, and Elizabeth, of Chris- topher and Elizabeth (Hoar) Read.	
2.	Aug.	Jonathan, of Robert and Mary (widow of John Herrick) Cue.	
"	"	John and Rebecca, of James and Emma	Taylor.

Day.	Mo.	
23.	Aug.	Mehitable, of Thomas and Mary (Coombs) Raymond.
30.	"	John, of Luke and Martha (Conant) Perkins.
6.	Sept.	Humphrey, of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Smith) Horrell.
27.	"	Samuel, Jemima, and Kezia, of Thomas, Jr. and Abigail (Lovett?) Woodberry.
4.	Oct.	Hannah, of John — deceased — and Catharine (Lovett?) Sallows.
18.	"	Thomas, of Robert and Mary (Bishop) Coburn.
"	"	Peter, of Mihel and Dorcas Coombs.
"	"	Anna, of Peter and Sarah Harvey.
25.	"	Caleb, of William and Sarah Clark.
1.	Nov.	Robert, Theophilus, Mary, and Elizabeth, of Samuel and Mary Hardie.
"	"	Sarah, of John and Sarah (Low) Grover.
"	"	of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.
8.	"	David, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
22.	"	Andrew, of Andrew and Emma (Eliot) Woodberry.
29.	"	John, of Thomas and Sarah Gage.

(To be continued.)

ESSEX COUNTY, MASS., PROBATE RECORDS.

The advance subscription for a separate publication of this series of records was not satisfactory, therefore the series will appear monthly in this magazine. In the January, 1897, issue will be found the first few papers of records. These now appearing are a continuation from page 36 of Vol. V., new series.

References are to the modern pagination of the volumes in the registry, and to the file numbers when a paper is not registered.

All names and important matters are mentioned. A few copies of these pages will be reprinted with a separate pagi-

nation. Subscribers desiring copies of the reprint are requested to notify the publisher at once, in order that the edition may be decided upon. The price will be five dollars per volume, including an index.

DANIEL KNIGHTS, of Lynn, smith. Inventory presented by Jacob Knights and his mother Breade. Appraisers, Andrew Mansfield, John Newhall. Daniel Knights died 29 Oct., 1672.

Adm. to Jacob Knights. 27-9-1672. (301.16)

JOHN NEALE, Sr., of Salem. Will dated 3 May, 1672; sick and weak of body. By will of father-in-law Francis Lawes, the house and land adjoining is for use of my wife during her life. I give to wife Mary that parcell of land called Tucke's lot, about four acres, for her life, except $\frac{1}{4}$ acre at northwest corner next the highway. To daughter Lydia Hart. To wife $\frac{1}{3}$ my cattle, and various household furniture. To son Jeremiah Neale, the dwelling house he lives in and land adjoining except one acre, which to his son John when he is of age; also excepting west end of house; use of half the orchard, etc., which my son John shall have until such time as he shall enjoy Tuck's lot. To grandchildren Mary and Sarah, daughters of Jeremiah, £10 each, when of age or married. To Jeremiah, salt marsh bought of the widow Moore, and fresh meadow by Goodell's lot so called.

To wife for life, half 10A lot by Brackets, with the other half left her by her father; after her death to son Jeremiah.

To son John Neale Tucke's lot after decease of his mother, also 10 acre lot called Harberts' lot, he paying to Lydia, daughter of my daughter Lydia, £10 at age or marriage. Also one half the 20 acres called Loose's lot.

To my son Jeremiah, son Joseph, daughter Lydia, 15 acres called Watson & Hale's lot, equally. Son John to have the acre of salt marsh next land of John Rowden.

Daughter Lydia to have mother's half of Loose's lot if she see cause.

To son Jeremiah, his son John, my sons John, Jonathan, Joseph, daughter Lydia, Adams' swamp. Two thirds of cattle to children Jeremiah, John, Jonathan, Joseph, Lydia.

Loving friends, Major William Hathorne, Capt. Walter Price, Hilliard Veren, Sr., overseers, to whom I refer the divisions of my land and goods.

Wife and son Jeremiah to be executors

John X Neale. (301.17)

Witnesses, the overseers
named.

Proved by Major Hathorne, Capt. Price and Hilliard Veren. 28-4-1672.

Inventory (301.18), taken 5-4-1672 by Hilliard Veren, John Pickering.

Tucke's lot (4 acres), house occupied by Jeremiah Neale and five acres, five acres by Goodman Bracket, Herberts' lot (10 acres), Loofe's lot (120 acres), Watson & Hale's lot (15 acres), Adams' swamp (8 acres), five acres of pease and other grain worth little by reason of ye drought, other land, farming tools, etc. Total, £593.14.01. Debts, £121.14.01. 28-4-1672, by widow Mary. Additional £28. appraised by Bartholomew Gidney and John Pickering.

At a county court 28-4-1681. Adm. to Lt. Jeremiah Neale of whatever estate was properly of right belonging to Mary Mansfield executrix of her former husband John Neale, now at the time of her decease. Said estate to be divided into six shares. Jeremiah Neale, eldest son, double portion, Jonathan Neale, Joseph Neale, widow Ann Neale for the use of her children, and children of Jonathan Hart by his wife Lydia Neale. (File 19,173)

Inventory of Mary Mansfield, executrix of John Neale, £39.18.00.

John Fish, jr., debtor 10 shillings.

Creditors Joseph Neale for remainder of legacy of his

grandfather Laws. Jeremiah Neale. Joseph Neale legacy from his father, Seargeant Mansfield. Appraised 7-7-1681, by Hilliard Veren, Benjamin Gerrish. Presented by Jeremiah Neale administrator, 27 Sept., 1681. (19,173)

JOHN WILKINS, late of Salem. Inv. 24 June, 1672, by Nathaniel and John Putnam, £50.11. including "the half of y^e house."

Administration to Mary Wilkins, relict, 26-4-1672. Order to pay children Elizabeth, John, Mary, Abigaile, all minors. (301.19)

THOMAS CAULIE. Will, very sick; estate to wife during life, after death to return to children, who are now minors.

Eldest son Benjamin double portion of house & land after wife's thirds, etc.; rest to two other sons; the three sons paying to daughter £20; land which I gave to Francis Girdler, as it is now staked out to him, and his heirs not to be disturbed.

Whereas I gave my father Parmiter a parcell of land where now his house stands, after his decease. to my son Benj $\frac{1}{3}$, and refusal of other two thirds.

Samuel Ward and father Benj. Parmiter overseers. Witnessed by Benjamin Parmiter, Samuel Ward. (301.20)

Mary, the relict of Thomas Cauly, proved will; appointed administratrix, 28-4-1672. Inventory dated April, by Samuel Ward, Richard Norman, James Dennie, £139.17.06. (301.21) Inv. taken 28 Feb. 1671, by Moses Maverick, John Devericks, Samuel Ward, £144-9-06. Eleanor, the relict. (301.21)

JOHN STACY. 25-4-1672. Adm. to widow Ellenor, she to pay John, ye eldest son, £10, and Mark, Grace, and Edward, each of them, £5; the sons when 21, the daughter at 18 or marriage.

Bond of John Stacy of Marblehead, with Eleazar Ingalls and Peter Osgood of Salem, sureties, 2 July, 1713. Adm. on estate of grandfather John Stacey and Elenor his wife. Wit. by George Locker, Daniel Rogers.

Grace Cowes daughter of deceased refuses administration. (26,078)

THEODER PRICE. Inv. 10 April, 1672, by Hilliard Veren, Sr., Edmund Batter, £260.1.2. "a cock of gold £5.10;" cash of Mr. Hathorne. Debts to W. Price, Jno Neal, New meeting house. Presented by Capt. Walter Price and Ann, the relict, 29-4-1672. (301.22)

PEETER COMEW. Inventory of estate of Peeter Comue, (*sic.*) that was left at Jacob Pudeaters at his decease, taken an account of 14 Feb., $\frac{71}{2}$ by Joseph Grafton, John Grafton, £4.13.0. Adm. to Jacob Pudeater. 28-4-1672. (301.23)

ELIAS YOUNG. An Inventory of the estate of Elias Young, William Yabsly, and Edward Foster lately cast away, who died intestate. Young £22-06-7 $\frac{3}{4}$; Foster £17.03.00; Yabsly £14.04.01. Presented 27-4-1672. Mr. Bartholomew Gedney, Erasmus James, Christopher Lattimer empowered to pay debts. Debts from Young, due to Erasmus James; to Eleazer Gedny for his part rebuilding boat; Ambrose Gale; Barthol. Gedney; James Skinner; Christopher Nick; Sam^l Lee; Jno. Cobb; Wm Nick for stageroom; Richard Dil; total £27.17.8. (301.24)

EDWARD FOSTER. Debts to Ambros Gale, Erasmus James, Mary (*Irindel?*), Dickey "feriman," Wm Smith, shoemaker at Boston, Andrew Tucker, Nichola Willis, Edm. Homan, Mr. Lattimore, John Stacy, Mr. Brock, Wm. Pitcher, John Cobb, Jno. Clements, Mr. Maverick, Elias Young, Wm. Yeabsly, old Mr. Browne. Total, £39.14.11.

WILLIAM YEABSLEY; list of debts, to Erasmus James, "to his part of rebuilding ye boat by Elez. Geding; Bar. Gedny; Ambrose Gale; for nayles and rigging ye boate"; Wm. Nick; James Skinner; Sam Lee; Jno. Cobb; Richard Dil.

"For the boate hire and stage room what ye court shall order." Total, £18.5.4.

An Inventory given into Salem Court, 26 June, 1672, by Bartholomew Gedney, Erasmus James, Christopher Lattimore. (301.25)

CASELY. Salem in New England, May 30, 1672. An Inventory of that goods or cloths was found to be on board ye ketch Elizabeth & Marah as we were at sea, belonging to William Casely of Cockwood, in Devonshire, found on board ye said ketch after his decease, ye said Casely dying when we were at sea about seven days before our arrival in New England.

Impr. 1 bible 4th, Mr. Smiths book of ye grat assise 12th, "voice of ye rod," Baxters cal to ye conscience; fishing boots, clothing, etc. Total £10.8.3.

Wm Casely debtor to Abraham Bartholomew, for his own and his boys passage, £13.6.00.

Appraised by Nath^l Pickman, Zebulon Hill. Adm. to Abraham Bartholomew, 28-4-1672. (301.26)

DANIEL KING, of Swampscott. Will dated 9-12-1671.

Son Daniel house and land where he lives, the land bounded from the sea along by Beaver Brook to the highway to Marblehead, etc., and by Lynn common to lands of Ralph King, and to the sea. Also 10 acres marsh in the town marsh below Allin Bread, Jr.'s land. He paying myself and wife £10 yearly for life.

Daughter Hannah Blaner,* Darnel's farme bounded on Salem and Marblehead, and my son Blanco* shall pay myself and wife £10 per annum for our life.

Daughter Elizabeth Redin the land between the land given to son Daniel and daughter Blanco, which land bounds on Marblehead, provided my son Reding doth aquit me of all debt, although I do not know I owe him anything.

Daughter Sarah Needham my land called Smith's Hill as the old fence went in Smith's time, provided my son Needham fence it entirely by a stone wall and make a bridge over to the land; also sixty acres at head of Duck pond bounded west with the Rocks and north with Major Hum-

*This name is now Blaney.

free's farm, and east with Salem bounds, and my son Needham is to pay me £5 per year. Wife Elizabeth sole executrix.

To daughter Elz^b Reddin six acres of marsh bounded west with marsh of Major Cobbett, south by Henry Collings, east by Robert Driver, and north by John Witt and William Craft.

Daughter Blanco^e three acres meadow bounded by Nathaniel Kertland, east by Theophilus Bayley.

Witnesses

Richard Walker, William Cowdry.

Proved 26-4-1672. (301.27)

Inv. of Mr. Daniel King, of Lynn, who died 20 May, 1672, by Richard Walker and William Cowdry. Total £1528.9.6.

House and 200 acres land; house and 120 acres land; one hundred acres of land; 60 acres upon ye woods; other marsh and meadow.

Presented by the relict, 26-4-1672. (301.28)

Quit claim by Joseph Blaney of Lynn, shipwright, in consideration of £100 paid to me, and secured by bond to be paid to me, by my brother John Blaney, of Salem, cordwainer, and in consideration that my said brother remise, etc., to me a parcel of marsh in Lynn, about 1½ acre, as I have improved, which did belong to ye estate of our grandfather, Mr. Daniel King, deceased, do release, etc., to my brother John Blaney all right in real estate of our grandfather King, which is partly in Salem and in Lynn; also seven lots laid out in Lynn in right of the farm. 23 March 1713.

Acknowledged before John Appleton. Witnessed by Joseph Jacobs and Daniel Rogers.

Receipt in full, 26 Jan., 1714/15. (311.107)

(To be continued.)

A GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY has been organized in Syracuse, N.Y. Watson Gill is its president, and Geo. A. Mosher, secretary.



PUTNAM.

**PUTNAM OF BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, ENGLAND,
AND SALEM, MASS.**

Arms. — Sable crusilly-fitchée argent, a stock of the last.

Crest. — A wolf's head gules.

The principal family bearing this name originated in Puttenham, Hertfordshire, the lands in their possession giving the name to the family. It is not known who the first of this family to possess Puttenham, or land there, was.

Ancient records mention Simon and Ralph de Putteham in 1199, and during the succeeding century appear the names of Ralph, Richard, John, Peter, and Thomas Puttenham, all of this neighborhood, and in the case of John and Peter owning lands in Puttenham.

It is probable that Thomas Puttenham, living in the time of Edward I. (1272-1307), who married Helen, the daughter and co-heiress of John Spigornell, was the earliest known ancestor of the race, but the descent cannot be proven in a direct line beyond William Puttenham of Puttenham and Penn. He married Margaret, the daughter of John de Warbleton of Warbleton in Sussex, Sherfield in Hants., etc., and through which marriage those places came in the possession of their son, Henry Putnam. (1408-1473.)

The eldest line of the family resided at Sherfield. The Puttenham, Herts., property passed out of the family in the time of Richard Puttenham, the grandson of Sir George Puttenham, and heir to his uncle, the famous Sir Richard Elliott.

George Puttenham, the author of the "Arte of English Poesie," was a brother of Richard. This branch of the family became extinct in 1597, at the death of Richard.

The Putnams of Penn, representatives of the third son of

William (1430-1492), a grandson of William who married Margaret Warbleton, Nicholas,* became extinct, in 1601, in the person of another Richard Putnam.

Both the above Putnam families are described in the Visitations.

Nicholas Putnam, of Penn, had, besides his son and heir, John, a son, Henry, who was living in 1526.

Henry's eldest son was probably Richard Putnam, of Eddlesboro and Woughton, who died in 1556, leaving eldest son John, of Wingrave. The latter died in 1573, leaving a son Nicholas who was the father of John Putnam, bapt. 17 Jan., 1579, who inherited land in Aston Abbots, and was living there at the time of his migration about 1640. There his children were baptized, and an entry made on the Salem records by Thomas, the eldest son, states that John came from Aston Abbots in Buckinghamshire.

The family in Wingrave were yeomen, but held considerable property, which was largely increased after the settlement in Salem. The emigrants were stern Puritans. No instance of the use of coat armor by John Putnam nor any of his three sons, Lt. Thomas, Capt. Nathaniel, nor Capt. John Putnam, is known.

During the Revolution Judge James Putnam of Worcester, a younger brother of Dr. Ebenezer Putnam of Salem, great-grandsons of Capt. John, adhered to the Loyalist cause and retired to London. Afterward he settled in New Brunswick, where he occupied high judicial positions. His son, James, was a friend of the Duke of Kent and one of his trustees. The last representative of this line died in London within a few years.

In the College of Heralds is a pedigree of the family entered by James Putnam in 1803, who obtained a confirmation of the following arms:

Sable a stork argent, beaked and legged gules, within an orle of eight crosslets fitchee or, on a chief embattled of the

* The second son Edmund d. s.p.m.

second, a roman fasces in fess, proper. Crest — A wolf's head couped at the neck, per fess embattled, gules and or.

The Penn family used the Putnam arms quartered with those of Warbleton — Lozengy, or and azure.

The Sherfield family used the Putnam arms alone, and those are what are shown in the illustration.

Harleian Mss., 6137, in the British Museum, contains rolls of arms in the latter part of the 13th century, and among them are the Putnam arms.

The only other arms known to the writer bearing the same charges as Putnam occur in the same Mss. They are as follows: Gules, a heron argent between crosses crosslet or, and are ascribed to William Herun.

For further particulars see "History of the Putnam Family in England and America," by Eben Putnam.

NOTE. — An entirely different coat of arms is sometimes claimed by members of the Putnam family. It is supposed the error originated by Putnam settlers in New York State finding a coat of arms in possession of Putmans there, who were of Dutch descent. The boars' heads were never borne by a Putnam, and though the coat closely resembles the arms of the family of Gough it is supposed to be of Dutch origin.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN REGISTRY OF DEEDS, BEDFORD COUNTY, VA., 1780-1783.

1780.

- 5 Nov. William Graves to Sally Smith.*

1781.

- 25 April. William Harris to Doshia Thorp.†

- 1 March. Pleasant Branch to Jane Masten.†

- 27 June. William Tompkins of Albermarle county to Eliza Cobbs.†

- 1 Nov. Edward Tilman to Molly Johnson.†

1782.

- 8 Nov. Robert Dudley Dawson of Amherst county to Mary Lightfoot Slaughter of Bedford.†

* By Nathaniel Shrewsbury.

† By C. Clay, clerk.

1782.

- 24 Feb. Elijah Gates to Elizabeth Chiles, by Jno. Anthony.
- 3 Jan. Douglas Irby to Hannah Chandler.**
- 28 Jan. Jonathan Rossier to Nancy Helm.**
- 21 March. William Crouch to Sarah Witt.**
- 9 May. Joshua Abston to Mary Carter.**
- 10 July. Stephen Turner to Mary Roundtree.**
- 25 July. John Michell to Francis Burgess.**
- 17 Sept. John Craig to Jane Brown.**
- 22 Oct. John Frith to Mary Brown.**
- John Dallis to Winefred Cundiff.**
- 31 Oct. John Guff to Priscilla Standley.**
- 7 Nov. Jere Dishman to Nancy Miller.**
- 9 Nov. Isaac Jackson to Mary Hill.**
- 11 Nov. William Allen to Sarah Harper.**
- 13 Nov. Joseph Fuqua to Celia Bundrum.**
- 7 March. William Rucker to Sally North, by James Rucker.
- 12 Nov. Thomas Rock to Susanna Karr.*
- 17 Nov. Joseph Mason to Jane Henderson.*
- 23 Nov. John Brickkey to Jane Scott.*
- 25 Nov. Isham Meader to Biddy Bradshaw.*
- 8 Oct. William Derryfield to Ann Jurden.*
- 15 Dec. Louis Adkerson to Rebecca Ellenton.*
- James Gibson to Ruth Easleft.*

1783.

- 17 Jan. John Slinker to Mary Brickey.*
- 12 Feb. Charles Price to Elizabeth Anderson.*
- 2 March. John Henry Woods of Amherst county to Amey Gatewood.*

DOCUMENTARY HISTORY. MATERIAL RELATING TO THE HISTORY OF IOWA, Vol. II., nos. 9-11, edited by Prof. Benja. F. Shambaugh, is given up to a study of local government in the territory of the Northwest. It is a collection of various early statutes.

* By Nathaniel Shrewsbury.

** By Jno. W. Holt, clerk.

**ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND
DESCENDANTS.**

(Continued from page 49.)

59. William³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born about 1674; died before his father, leaving a daughter, Mercy. This Mercy, I am sure, is the one who married John Turner, and not her aunt, who must have died young, as she is not mentioned in her father's will. Mercy⁴ Bartlett being the "child of the oldest son" (family tradition), she was not far distant in age from her younger aunts. I surmise William married Hannah, and died soon after the birth of his daughter Mercy, and that in 1698, "the widow, Hannah Bartlett of Duxbury," married Thomas Delano (Philip), by whom she had no children.

Child:

321. Mercy⁴ Bartlett.

Mercy³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Died young. See No. 59.

60. Sarah³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury. Died . Married, 1701, in Duxbury, Israel³ Bradford, son of Major and Deputy-Governor William² Bradford (William¹) and Mary (Atwood) Holmes (wid. of Rev. John). He died March 26, 1760.

Children born in Duxbury:

322. Ruth⁴ Bradford, born Dec. 11, 1702; died young.

323. Bathsheba Bradford, born Nov. 8, 1703.

324. Benjamin Bradford, born Oct. 17, 1705.

325. Abner Bradford, born Dec. 25, 1707.

326. Joshua Bradford, born June 23, 1710.

327. Ichabod Bradford, born Sept. 22, 1713.

328. Elisha Bradford, born March 26, 1718.

61. Rebecca³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury. Married, 1701, John Bradford, son of John³ (Wm.,² Wm.¹) and Mercy (Warren) Bradford. He was born Dec. 25, 1681, and died March 27, 1729.

Children :

329. Robert⁴ Bradford, born Oct. 18, 1706.

330. Rebecca Bradford, born Dec. 14, 1710.

62. Ruth³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury. She survived her husband. She married John Murdock, son of John and Lydia (Young) Murdock. He was born 1687, and died about 1756. In his will he speaks of himself as "I, John Murdock, of Plymouth, being in a weak and languishing condition."

He gives to grandson Tillson, the son of Stephen Tillson, the whole of the farm, dwelling-house, etc., situated in Plympton. To son-in-law, John Wall, £40, and also £13.6.0 due from him. All the rest to loving wife Ruth, during her natural life, and at her death to be divided between two sons, James and Bartlett, who are also made executors. His will is dated Sept. 16, 1756, and witnessed by William Thomas, Joseph Head? and John Lothrop.

Children, probably born in Plymouth :

331. Jeannette⁴ Murdock.

332. Ruth Murdock.

333. James Murdock.

— 334. Bartlett Murdock.

63. Priscilla³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born January, 1697. She died July 2, 1758, æ. nearly 61. She married in Duxbury, Dec. 31, 1718, John Sampson. He was son of Stephen² Sampson (Henry¹ of the "May-flower") and Elizabeth. He was born in Duxbury, Aug. 17, 1688, and died about 1770. His estate was administered on March 5, 1770. They lived in Duxbury.

Children, probably born there :

- 335. Susanna⁴ Sampson, born Aug. 30, 1720.
- 336. Zilpah Sampson, born Feb. 27, 1722; died July, 1796; unmarried.
- 337. John Sampson, } born May 21, 1723; died Sept. 11,
- 338. Priscilla Sampson, } 1724.
- 339. Elizabeth Sampson, born Feb., 1726.
- 340. John Sampson, born Aug. 8, 1727.
- 341. Elisha Sampson, born April 6, 1730; died in New York in 1776. (Was he married?)
- 342. Sylvanus Sampson, born March 13, 1732; died in the East Indies, 1758.
- 343. Elijah Sampson, born June 7, 1734.

64. Deborah³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury; married, Dec. 19, 1723, Josiah Thomas, of Duxbury. He was probably son of Samuel Thomas (John), of Marshfield, and Mercy (Ford) Thomas, daughter of William. He died about 1750, when his will was probated. The will was dated 25 Sept., 1746. In it he speaks of wife Deborah, second son Joshua, five sons and two daughters; viz., William, Joshua, Peleg, Benjamin, Consider, Deborah Thomas, and Ruth Thomas.

Children, probably all born in Duxbury:

- 344. William⁴ Thomas, born Nov. 1, 1724.
- 345. Joshua Thomas, born Sept. 9, 1726.
- 346. Peleg Thomas, born Nov. 25, 1728.
- 347. Adam Thomas, born March 31, 1731.
- 348. Deborah Thomas, born Aug. 2, 1734.
- 349. Ruth Thomas, born June 13, 1736.
- 350. Benjamin Thomas, born Nov. 21, 1737.
- 351. Consider Thomas, born , 1739.

65. * Abigail³ Bartlett (Ruth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1703; died Aug. 30, 1776; married Aug. 30, 1728, Hon. Gamaliel Bradford, son of Samuel and Hannah (Rogers) Bradford, her cousin once removed. He was born in Duxbury, May 18, 1704, and died April 24, 1778, æt. nearly 74 years.

* Her family will be given under Hon. Gamaliel Bradford in fourth generation.

"Hon. Gamaliel Bradford was a son of Lieut. Samuel Bradford, and great-grandson of Hon. William, the second Governor of Plymouth Colony. He shared largely in all the duties of the public offices of the town, and was always selected to bear the responsibilities of its important agencies. He was a friend of education, and did much towards the maintenance and improvement of the public schools. He for several years represented the town in the Legislature, and during the trying period from 1764 to 1770 was a member of the Executive Council. He was for many years a justice of the peace, and judge of the County Court. He also held command of the company of militia in his native town, and about 1750 was raised to the rank of Major, and afterwards promoted to the command of the regiment with the rank of Colonel. In his declining days he witnessed with patriotic ardor the uprising of the Sons of Freedom; and though his heart was with them, he was unable by active exertion to assist in the crowning glories of true-born free-men. He died in Duxbury on the 24th April, 1778, having nearly reached his seventy-fourth year. — *Windsor's History of Duxbury*, pp. 148, 9.

66. Benjamin³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born April 18, 1681, I think in Bristol. The Southworth family did not come directly from Duxbury, but tarried awhile in Bristol. The children are entered on Little Compton Records, also on Bristol Records. I think nearly all of Rebecca Pabodie's children were born in Bristol. There is no record of either William or Rebecca joining the Little Compton Church, or the baptism of their children, until we come to Andrew and Gideon, the children of the second wife. Therefore, Bristol is given as the birthplace. I do not know whether Benjamin or his third wife died in Little Compton. Many stones are broken off in Old Cemetery. He was in Little Compton till after 1730. I feel sure his children moved away, probably to Connecticut,

and are the ancestors of many Southworths we find in Mansfield, Ashford, and elsewhere. About 1730 three, at least, of his brothers went to Connecticut. He was married, first, by Joseph Church, Esq., Dec. 18, 1701, to Elizabeth Woodworth, probably daughter of Walter Woodworth. Her stone can be seen in the Old Cemetery — "Elizabeth, wife of Benjamin Southworth. Died June 18, 1713, in ye 35th year of her age." He married, second, by Rev. Richard Billings, in Little Compton, March 14, 1717, Alice Church. She was daughter of Joseph³ Church (Joseph,² Richard¹) and Grace (Shaw) Church, born in Little Compton, Feb. 8, 1693; died "Feb. 14, 1718, in the 23d year of her age" (gravestone in Old Cemetery). He married, third, Susanna (Palmer) Blackman, by the Rev. Richard Billings, July 18, 1722. I feel *sure* she was a widow. There is no Susanna to be found in the Blackman family, and William Palmer in his will speaks of daughter Susanna Southworth. (See Richmond genealogy, by Joshua Richmond.) This genealogy says William Palmer married Mary³ Richmond (Edward,² John¹), and had a family in Kingston or Westerly. We do not find the children on these towns' records, but do find them in Little Compton. William Palmer was son of William Palmer, of Dartmouth, and he son of the first William, of Plymouth and Duxbury. Susanna was born, I think, in Dartmouth, Oct. 24, 1692.

Children all born in Little Compton :

353. William⁴ Southworth, born Oct. 10, 1703.

354. Oliver Southworth, born Dec. 7, 1705.

355. Mary Southworth, born March 5, 1713.

These by first wife. By third wife :

356. Benjamin Southworth, born July 29, 1725.

357. Patience Southworth, born June 1, 1730.

358. Isaac Southworth, born Oct. 31, 1731.

67. Joseph³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Bristol, Feb. 1, 1683; died in Little

Compton; buried in Old Cemetery — "In memory of Captain Joseph Southworth, who died April ye 20, 1739, in ye 57th year of his age." He married Mary Blake (the name so appears, changed from Blague), by the Rev. Richard Billings, April 20, 1710. She was the daughter of Joseph and Martha (Kirkland) Blague, born 27 Aug., 1692, in Saybrook, where her parents lived for a while. Mary (Blake) Southworth is buried in the Old Cemetery. "In memory of Mary, wife of Joseph Southworth, who died October 29, 1770, in ye 79th year of her age." And next to them is the stone "In memory of John, son of Captain Joseph Southworth and Mary his wife, died Aug. ye 12, 1720, in ye 24th year of his age." I think I read the year wrong (the stone is badly broken). I think it ought to be 1740; and this John was their youngest. Otherwise, he was not recorded with the rest of the children. Joseph Southworth lived all his life in Little Compton. In 1722 he buys land from his brother Thomas. March 9, 1727, Samuel, Stephen, and Thomas sell to their brother Joseph their share of their father's homestead. In Little Compton what is known as the "Mash" (marsh) road marks the northern boundary of the old Southworth place; from that south to the ocean is known to this day as the "Southard Marsh." Gradually it was divided up among the descendants.

The site of the old house is known; the cellar is there on the George Peckham place. Farther over, the well on the Gideon Southworth place can be discerned. Joseph Southworth's widow Mary and his son Constant were made administrators on his estate. The executors sell land in 1745.

Children all born in Little Compton :

- 359. Elizabeth Southworth,⁴ born Feb. 13, 1712.
- 360. Constant Southworth, born April 21, 1715.
- 361. Wm. Southworth, born June 30, 1719.
- 362. Sarah Southworth, born Sept. 7, 1721.
- 363. Nathaniel Southworth, born March 27, 1724.

- 364. Joseph Southworth, born June 28, 1726.
- 365. Mary Southworth, born Dec. 30, 1728.
- 366. Samuel Southworth, born Oct. 1, 1731.
- 367. Abigail Southworth, born June 11, 1734.
- 368. John Southworth, born Jan. 1, 1737.
- 369. Susanna Southworth.

Mary Southworth, wife of Joseph, admitted to the Little Compton Church, Oct. 1, 1730.

Nathaniel Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized July 2, 1724; Joseph Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized Aug. 21, 1726; Mary Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized April 27, 1729; Abigail Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized Aug. 25, 1734; John Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized July 20, 1737.

A Mary Southworth, and Susanna, her daughter, were baptized June 13, 1741.

This may be the widow and a child not recorded — perhaps born after the father died. I cannot place them elsewhere.

68. Edward³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). He married his cousin, Mary³ Fobes. See her number.) I wish to make a correction: his wife, Elizabeth Palmer, was daughter of *John* and *Elizabeth* (Richmond) Palmer. I am very sure that the Richmond genealogy is at fault in giving John Palmer's children as born in Kingston or Westerly; or if born there, came early to Little Compton. John Palmer and Elizabeth his wife, and children John, Sarah, Elizabeth, Edward, Job, Aaron, and Anne were baptized Nov. 1, 1700, in company with others to the number of sixty-five, preliminary to forming the church in 1708. The Richmond genealogy says John was son of Henry; this Henry was son of the first William. I do not find Edward or his wives on the church records; neither do I find at Taunton, before 1745, any sales of land indicating

that they left the town. I feel sure the children moved away.

69. Elizabeth³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born Sept. 23, 1686; married in Little Compton by Joseph Church, Justice, Dec. 2, 1703, David Little, son of Ephraim and Mary (Sturtevant) Little. Ephraim was son of Thomas Little and Ann (Warren) Little. Ann was daughter of Richard Warren, of the "Mayflower." David was born 1681, and died about 1779; Elizabeth was alive when her father died. David Little made his will Feb. 12, 1750. "I, David Little, of Scituate, yeoman, having arrived at old age." He speaks of son Ephraim, son David Little, son Nathaniel Little, daughter Elizabeth Otis, daughter Mary Cudworth, daughter Mercy Otis, son Barnabas Little, who was executor, and to have certain property, *provided* he does for David's wife Abigail what he (David) covenanted before marriage. (He guards the right of the wife so carefully, I feel sure she was a stepmother to the children.) Codicil, Jan. 12, 1754, names son Nathaniel, deceased, and his children to have his share. The will was witnessed by Thomas Pierce, Ezra Pitcher, and Elizabeth Pitcher, but when the will was proved in 1779 all were dead but Elizabeth Pitcher.

Mr. Seymour Morris, of Chicago, has sent me this family, copied from Scituate Records, children of David Little and Elizabeth his wife:

- 370. Ephraim Little, born April 9, 1708.
- 371. David Little, born Sept., 1712.
- 372. Nathaniel Little, born Feb. 2, 1714.
- 373. Elizabeth Little, born Jan. 17, 1719.
- 374. Mary Little, born Feb. 12, 1721.

And I feel sure we can add:

- 375. Mercy Little.
- 376. Barnabas Little.

70. Alice³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden).

Born July 14, 1688; married by Rev. Richard Billings, Justice, May 25, 1709, in Little Compton, John Cook, son of John³ Cooke * (Thomas,² Thomas¹) and Ruth (Shaw) Cooke.

He was born in Tiverton, Nov. 5, 1685, and died 1754. "John Cooke was a man of considerable wealth and standing, and was active in public affairs, owned slaves like his father and grandfather. Was an officer in the militia of the colony."

Children born in Tiverton :

- 377. Amy⁴ Cook, born 1712.
- 378. Bathsheba Cook, born 1714.
- 379. Samuel Cook, born 1716.
- 380. William Cook, born 1718.
- 381. Abiel Cook, born 1720.
- 382. Lillias Cook, born 1722.
- 383. Rebecca Cook, born 1724.
- 384. Ruth Cook, born 1725.
- 385. Elizabeth Cook, born 1727.

Lillias and Ruth Cook owned the covenant in 1742, in Little Compton church. Lillias Cook, baptized Little Compton church, Oct. 28, 1742. Abiel Cook, baptized March 3, 1742-3. In 1746 the Tiverton church was formed and a large number of Little Compton church members were transferred. We find Lillias Cook baptized about Nov. 25, 1750, at Tiverton church.

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RECORDS OF THE WALTONS, PROCTORS, OAKES, AND EATONS, 1598-1898, by J. P. Walton, Muscatine, Iowa, 1898. Mr. Walton has collected much valuable and interesting data concerning his ancestry and collateral relatives. The edition is sixty copies.

* See Austin's Gen. Dictionary.

ESSEX COUNTY, MASS., PROBATE RECORDS.

(Continued from page 64.)

WILLIAM LORD OF SALEM, cutler, will presented at County court, 24-4-1673. Dated 2 March, 1668. Ancient, etc., all estate, except certain legacies, to use of wife Abigail for life, and she is to have right to dispose of same for her necessities as long as she remains single, and at her death, provided it be among the children of my kinsman, William Lord. William and Abigail, children of said kinsman. William are to have the better part.

To Mrs. Fellton, widow; to Joseph Grafton, Sr.; Richard Prince. Wife Abigail executrix, and said Grafton and Prince overseers.

WILLIAM W LORD

Witnessed

Jno Ruck, Sr., Edward Norrice, Jno Cole, Sr.

Proved by Mr Edw. Norrice and Mr. Jno. Ruck, before Major Daniel Denisson and Mr. Thomas Danforth, 24-4-1673.

Inventory, £367; including four acres "bastard marsh."
(301, 30, 31.)

ANN BURT. Will dated 8 Jan., 1664. Names Wm. Bassitt, Jr.; John Bassett; Elizb. Bassitt, when 18; Sarah Bassitt; Merriam Bassitt; Mary Bassitt; Hannah Bassitt; Elin Bartrum; Hannah Bartrum; Wife of Wm. Bartrum; Lydia Burell. The girls to have the profit of the sheep till they come of age.

Brother Frances Burrell and Goodman Crofts, overseers.

Witnessed by Frances Burrill, William Crofts. Adm. to Wm. Bassett, 27-4-1673.

Inventory, 18 March, 1672/3, by Wm. Crofts and Francis Burrill, £47.02.06. (301, 31, 32)

SAMUEL LEACH. Inventory, 26 June, 1673, by Nicholas Merritt, Richard Huttson, Edward Humphrey; £47.09. Adm. to Mr. Moses Maverick, Mr. Francis Johnson, Robert Knight, who are to bring in an inventory at the next court, 27-4, 1673. Debts to Robert Knight, John Legg, Francis Johnson, Richard Norman, Joseph Pickworth, Goodman Dolliver, John Devericks, Moses Maverick, Ambrose Gale, James Smith, Edward Reade, Dan Weld, £37.12.02 (301.32).

RICHARD CHARLECRAFT. Inventory £9.5., by Anthony Needham administrator, 27-4-1673.

A suit of cloths in hands of Mr. John Browne, Sr., £2, 800 lbs. weight of tobacco at Virginia, in hands of Mr. James Browne, £4, a barrell of rum in hands of Mr Mathew Barton £3 (301.32)

WILLIAM CHARLES. Will dated 31 Dec., 1672. Wife Sarah, executrix with cousin James Dennis. Friends Mr. Moses Maverick, Mr. Samuel Cheevers, Richard Norman named as advisors to wife. After wife's decease whole estate to cousin James Dennis, and his children by my cousin Mary his present wife, to whom he gives land adjoining house of said Dennis. To James Dennis, jr., my gun.

Witnessed by John Peach, Sr., and Joseph Dallaber, who give oath in court, 27-4-1673.

Inventory, £224.15, taken 10 Feb., 1672/3, by John Peach, Sr., Samuel Ward.

Debts due from Mark Pittman; part of farm bought of Major Hathorne; half an island called Nickl. Charles his Islands, with half the stages standing upon it; half of a shallop (301.33).

Account, by James Dennes, of debts paid for William Charles and his wife deceased { Jan. 15, 1672

} (Sarah Charles 18 of it)

Two coffins and two graves; Richard Norman for wine for

his burial; Mr. Moses Maverick; John Waldron, Sr.; for wine at Ant Charles burial; Benj. Pameter; Mr. John Higisson; Morgan; Thomas Petmann; Jona. Corwin.

Citation, dated 20 Nov., 1695, on complaint of Thomas Trevie who married Annis Dennis, a legatee, *vs.* James Dennis, surviving executor of the will of William Charles, late of Marblehead, to render an account at the house of Frances Ellis at Salem. (5077)

WILLIAM FLINT of Salem, 15 Sept., 1671. "I bequeath to my wife Alce flint, (besides y^e thirds of al my howsing & lands during her life) al my household stuf exceptinge onely a bed sted & bedings wh I have given to my son Thomas wth — some few other things."

To son Edward one half part the two fields, the sometimes called Goldthites field, the other "Truslers field" or "brick-hill field"; half of my marsh on north side of the brook at Forest River and one at on opposite side; one acre lot, formerly Dan^l Baxter's in south field; five acre lot, formerly Henry Cook's in ye South field, half my swamp land" y^t was exchanged with Lynn townsmen for y^t I bought of Jno. Lewes, & one pair flart wheelles."

Son Thomas Flint all my housing with the land adjoining, both garden and orchard; half the two fields above mentioned and half the marsh on north side of Forest River, one half acre of marsh a little within the southfield gate, bought of Mr. Field; one half the swamp exchanged with Lynn townsmen; choice of four oxen and two cows, all carts, etc.; the best red rug and an other; "my wife to bestow upon him w^t other household stuf he have occation for if h^e marry during her life."

"To my son Joshua Ward, his son Joshua, I give & bequeath one ten acker lott in ye Southfield wh I bought of Cap^t James Smith & was formerly Mr Gotts."

To Anthony Needham, a cow.

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THE HIGGINSONS IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

(Continued from page 41.)

WILLIAM HYGGINSON, of Cotton, psh. Wem, Co. Salop. *Dated* 30 June, 1552; buried in church or churchyard of Wem;
to Alan my son, certain goods; to Thomas Pole son to Margaret my daughter 1 heyfer; to Cicile Sherarde 1 calf; to William Brocton son to Maude Brocton my daughter 1 calf; to the poor at my buryall 10/.

Executors — my Wife and son Alan.

Witnesses — Robert Hyggynson, Robert Ryddeley, Richard Nycholls pst,

= Inventory 20 August 1552, (late deceased), by John Sherarde and Robert Sherarde.

= Proved at Lichfield, 3 October, 1553.

JOHN HYGGINSON, of Cotton, psh. Wem, Co. Salop, yeoman.

Administration granted at Lichfield, 13 June, 1608; to Rose Hyggynson, Widow, the relict.

Bond for tuition of John, Roland, Elizabeth, and Rose, the children.

Inventory 29 May, 1608, by Alan Hotchkis, John Bruyon, John Higginson, and Francis Sault.

THOMAS HIGGINSON, of Wem, Co. Salop, Husbandman, *Dated* 10 March, 1582; buried in churchyard of Wem;

to Margery Higginson my Wife and to "my children" all my goods, &c;

Executors — my Wife Margery Higginson and William Higginson my son.

Overseers — William Barnes and Tho^s Saulat.

Witnesses — William Jenins, William Brayne.

Debts — Alan Brayne, Willm Brayne of Pryst, Richard Hales, John Wixteeds, Thomas Pey.

= Inventory by John Cowper & Rich^d Jebbe.

= Proved at Lichfield, 10 October, 1583.

WILLIAM HIGGINSON, of Wem, Co. Salop, Yeoman. *Dated* 23 February, 1632; buried in Chyd of Wem;

to my son Thomas Higginson certain goods for life, then to his son Richard Higginson;

to my son John 1/-; to my daughter Mary Parton 1/-; to my daughter Jane Sandland 1/-; to my daughter Alice Cartwright 1/-; to my Servant Margaret Roberts 3/4; residue to Elizabeth Higginson my wife and appoint her executrix.

Witnesses — Thomas Morris, Richard Moss.

= Inventory, 18 March 1632, by Richard Cowp and Griffin Turner.

= Proved at Lichfield, 3 April, 1633.

GEORGE HIGGINSON, of Whitchurch, Co Salop, shoemaker. *Dated* 8. November 1613;

to Anne my Wife all her goods, hers before our marriage; £11 due to John then her brother; to William Higginson my eldest Son, my dwellinghouse; — rest to John Higginson and Jane Higginson "my other two children."

Executor — Lawrence Higginson my brother,

Overseers — Robert Podmore my brother in law, and Thomas Higginson "one other of my brethren."

Witnesses — Isaac Cook, John Danes *a/s* Jenkins, Ralph Higginson, Willm Higginson, Eleanor Podmore.

= Inventory 1 December, 1613, by John Hotchkis, John Tayne, George Downe, Richard Richardson

= Proved at Lichfield 2 December, 1613.

WILLIAM HIGGINSON of Whitchurch, Co. Salop, Corvisor. *Dated* 19 May, 1632;

to my Son William Higginson 1/-; to my Son Richard Higginson 1/-; to my daughter Alice Higginson 1/-; to my daughter Jane Higginson 1/-; to my daughter Anne Higginson 1/-; rest to my Wife Alice Higginson and appoint her executrix.

Witnesses — John Nevitt, Robert Royley, Owen Jenkin, John Hockis, Jun,

= Inventory, 12, June, 1632, by John Hochkis, Thomas Higginson, and John Prym —

= Proved at Lichfield, 23 June, 1632.

GEORGE HIGGINSON of Tilley, psh Wem, Co. Salop, Yeoman. *Dated* — A.D. 1613: buried in churchyard of Wem.;

to "my Wife" my 3 kyne & all rest of cattel; to "all my Sons" xii^d each and to "my daughter" xii^d —; residue to my Wife.

Executors — my Wife and my Son George Higginson,

Debt to John Higginson,

Witnesses — John Heyward, Robert Podmore, John Cooke, John Goughe.

= Inventory 9. September 1613, by Thomas Richardson, and Adam Tyler —

= Proved at Lichfield 11. September, 1613, by Jane Higginson, Widow, power for George Higginson.

GEORGE HIGGINSON of Cromer, Co. Salop. Dated 19 June, 1624; to poor of Wem 40/-;

to Elizabeth Higginson daughter of my brother Richard £60 if she marry with consent of Thomas Barnes and Richard Jebbe, if not, 10/-; to Anne Higginson and Martha Higginson daughters of my Said brother Richard £10 each; to Mary Peate & Elizabeth Peate daughters of Thomas Peate a cow ea.; to Richard Peate a cow —; to John Peate & Ellinor Peate son and daughter of said Thomas Peate 40/- ea.; to children of William Mullyner, being Six 40/-; to William Mullyner and Anne his Wife 40/-; my Wife and brother Richard to convey a tenement in Lowe to Thomas Gadd my Servant and Jane Mullyner; to my Sister Moade Gadd 40/-; residue to Elizabeth my Wife and appoint her executrix.

Witnesses — William Roe Rector of Wem. Tho^s. Barnes W^m Mulliner, Rich^d Higginson and Rich^d Jebbe —

= Inventory 26 June 1624 (as of Edstaston, Yeoman) by Tho^s Jebbe and Tho^s Barnes —

= Proved at Lichfield 1. July, 1624.

Of the Higginsons of Wem, the first person of whom we have actual knowledge is William, the father of Richard Higginson, who was a freeholder in 1561. That William may be, and very likely was, identical with William Higginson of Wem whose will was proved in 1542.

In the will, sons Thomas, William, and Allen are named; but it was not uncommon to omit mention of the eldest son, who came into possession of lands by right.

There appears another, and probably younger, William, whose will was proved in 1552, and who names but one son, Alan. I do not doubt but that this latter William had other sons.

In 1561, Richard Higginson, the son of William, held lands in Cotton by one tenth of a knight's fee which he had inherited from his father, and Allen held Woodend Hall and a large copyhold estate there. (Garbet.)

The name Allen appears to have been common among these Wem Higginsons. One Allen was buried in 1594, another, of Tilstocke, in Oct., 1597, and a third Allen, "the clerke," was buried 13 April, 1597. Allen, the clerk, I think identical with Allen, the clerk, who is a witness to the will of Thomas Higginson, of Berkeswell, in 1573, and who is probably the same as the "cozen Allen Higginson" mentioned by the testator.

By reference to the wills of the Berkeswell Higginsons, to follow, it appears that Allen, the clerk, was the son of John Higginson, of Cotton, and at the time of the making of his will was dwelling in Cotton in Wem.

As the earliest Higginsons of Wem of whom we have definite knowledge, *i.e.*, the two Williams above and their families, were contemporaries of John Higginson of Berkeswell who died in 1540, it is probable that the Williams of Wem and John of Berkeswell stood in the some near degree of relationship. The presence of two of the sons of John in Wem, and the mention of the niece, a daughter of a deceased brother living there, as well as the numerical preponderance of persons bearing the name in Wem over Berkeswell at that early date, is abundant proof that the Berkeswell Higginsons came out of Salop, not the latter from Warwickshire.

The Cotton Higginsons and the Berkeswell Higginsons appear to have enjoyed about the same social and financial position. Both families were connected with the gentry, though styling themselves yeomen.

It is among the ancestors of the Higginsons of Cotton in

Wem that one may expect to find the ancestor of the Berkeswell family.

Garbet says that an estate in Tilley in Wem, which formerly belonged to the Donnes, passed in 1561 to John and George Higginson.

Robert Higginson, the grandson of John, was concerned with many of the inhabitants of Wem in an attempt to establish their ancient privileges against the purchaser of the manor, one Daniel Wycherly. The case was lost, it was thought, through the treachery of the attorney and the burning of valuable papers. This was in 1683, after ten years of litigation. Higginson lost heavily. The last representative of this line died in 1747. He wasted his paternal estate by a wild life.

Another branch of the family was settled at Cranmore, a part of the lords domain, in Edstatston. It came to them in the time of James I. To this family belonged George of Cromar who died in 1624. He was succeeded by his brother Richard.

A Mr. Richard Higginson was one of the feoffees of the school in Wem.

Ashhouse in Edstatston was a copyhold estate in possession of the Higginsons for years. John possessed it during the legal contest above mentioned.

The several branches of the family in Wem were in good circumstances and among the most substantial people in the place.

(To be continued.)

NOTE.—Margery Higginson, daughter of Higginson of Wem, married Richard, son of Hugh Bostock. See Visitation of Chester, 1530. She must have been born as early as 1505. Her great-grandson William, living in 1580, was married prior to 1577.

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

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1692.

Day.	Mo.	
10.	Jan.	Edmund, of John, Jr. and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
17.	"	Daniel, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell.
24.	"	Ebenezer, of William and Margaret (Corey) Cleaves.
31.	"	Josiah, of Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
21.	Feb.	Lydia, of Isaac and Elizabeth (Herrick) Woodberry.
1.	Mar.	Daniel, of Daniel and Mary (Hibbert) Collins.
"	"	Daniel, of William, Jr. and Mary (Kettell) Raymond.
13.	"	Anna, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Raymond.
3.	Apr.	John, of Ithamar and Bethia Wooden.
"	"	James, of James and Elizabeth (Hayward) Kettell.
17.	"	Thomas, of Samuel and Martha (Newmarch) Balsh.
"	"	Hannah, of Edward and Mary (Haskell) Dodge.
"	"	Judah, of John and Elizabeth (Woodberry) Richards.
24.	"	Josiah, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Haskell) Grover.
29.	May.	Returne, of Ralph and Ellen (Lyn) Ellingwood.
5.	June.	William, of William and Ruth (West) Haskell.
19.	"	Dorcas, of Joseph and Elizabeth Hebert.
26.	"	Jeremiah, Sarah, Bridget, and Elizabeth, of Joseph and Elizabeth Hebert.
"	"	Bethia, of William and Rachel (Raymond) Bradford.
"	"	Benjamin, William, and Eleanor, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
17.	July.	Joseph and Rebecca, of Joseph and Elizabeth Hebert.
"	"	Abigail, of Joseph and Elizabeth (West) Woodberry.
7.	Aug.	Sarah, of John and Sarah (Gaines) Creesy.
14.	"	Richard, of Thomas and Hannah Cox.
21.	"	Martha, of John, Jr. and Martha Raymond.

Day.	Mo.	
4.	Sept.	Thomas, of Robert and Mary (Porter) Cue.
"	"	Abigail, of Anthony and Mary (Black?) Williams.
16.	Oct.	Jonathan, of Lot and Abigail Conant.
"	"	David, of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Conant) Raymond.
30.	"	Elizabeth, of John and Martha Trenance.
6.	Nov.	Zachariah, Samuel, John, and Robert, of Samuel, Sen. and Elizabeth (Herrick) Stone.
"	"	Joseph, of Mark and Mary (Smith) Haskell.
13.	"	John, of John, Jr. and Sarah (Low) Grover. (The mother deceased.)
20.	"	Joanna, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
4.	Dec.	Keziah, of George and Bethiah (Lovett) Standley.
18.	"	Rebecca, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell) Griggs.
25.	"	John, of (Rev.) John and Sarah (Noyes) Hale.

1693.

5.	Mar.	Mercy, of James and Emma P Taylor.
12.	"	John, of John and Alice (Derby, of Marblehead) Woodberry.
2.	Apr.	Mathew Butman, and his son Jeremiah.
"	"	Robert, of William and Ruth (West) Haskell.
16.	"	Nathaniel, of Cornelius and Hannah (Woodberry) Baker.
30.	"	Matthew, of Matthew and Elizabeth (Hooper) Butman.
8.	May.	Sarah, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
"	"	Mary, of Tobias and Mary (Green) Trow.
"	"	Sarah, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach) Herrick.
"	"	Hannah, of Luke and Martha (Conant) Perkins.
18.	June.	Samuel, of Richard and Abigail (Woodberry) Ober.
25.	"	Patience, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
2.	July.	Mary, of John and Sarah Clark.
"	"	Sarah, of Philip and Deborah (Mansfield) White.
16.	"	Samuel, of Samuel, Jr. and Abiah (Gaines) Stone.
23.	"	Israel, of Humphrey and Anna (Window) Woodberry.
6.	Aug.	Jonathan, of Cornelius and Abigail (Solart) Larcom.

Day.	Mo.	
20.	Aug.	Sarah, of Thomas and Charity (Livermore) Whit-tredge.
17.	Sept.	Nathaniel, of Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
29.	Oct.	Mark, of Peter, Jr. and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
5.	Nov.	John, of William and Mary (Parker) Eliot.
"	"	Sarah, of Lot and Abigail Conant.
19.	"	Nicholas, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Patch) Biles.
"	"	Sarah, of Thomas and Mary (Coombs) Raymond.
31.	Dec.	Esther, of Ruth Grierson, of Roxbury. "By virtue of a letter from the minister there."

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14.	Jan.	Susanna, of Thomas and Sarah Gage.
28.	"	Rebecca Stanford. (Adult.)
"	"	Deborah, of Benjamin, Sen. and Grace (Mallet) Balsh.
"	"	Priscilla, of Robert and Anna (Ober) Morgan.
25.	Feb.	Mary and Sarah, of Josiah and Elizabeth Wallis.
"	"	Elizabeth, of James and Martha Wallis.
"	"	Joshua, of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Clark.
4.	Mar.	Benjamin, of William and Margaret (Corey) Cleaves.
11.	"	Rebecca, of William and Rachel (Raymond) Bradford.
2.	Apr.	Elizabeth, of John and Elizabeth (Allen) Kettell.
22.	"	Nathaniel, of Joseph and Sarah (Eaton) Dodge.
"	"	Ralph, of Ralph and Ellen (Lyn) Ellingwood.
6.	May.	Jonathan, of John and Sarah (Woodberry, <i>née</i> Haskell) Pool.
27.	"	Samuel, of Samuel, 3d, and Susanna (Knowlton) Corning.
"	"	Joseph, of Daniel and Phebe Larcom.
3.	June.	Mary, of Robert and widow Mary (Herrick, <i>née</i> Porter) Cue.
17.	"	Mary, of William and Mary (Woodbury) Conant.
"	"	Bartholomew, of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.
"	"	Samuel, of George and Jane (Stacey) Standley.
15.	July.	Caleb, of William and Elizabeth (Haskell) Dodge.
"	"	Jonathan, of Christopher and Elizabeth (Hoar) Read.

Day.	Mo.	
5.	Aug.	Caleb Wallis. (Adult.)
"	"	Roger, of John and Hannah (Veren) Balsh.
12.	"	John, of John and Sarah (Gaines) Creesy.
2.	Sept.	Sarah, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone) Wallis.
9.	"	Mary, of Joshua and Abija (Abiah?) (Conant) Wallis.
"	"	Mary, of Daniel and Mary (Hibbert) Collins.
"	"	Andrew, of Phillip and Deborah (Mansfield) White.
16.	"	Abigail, of Peter and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
23.	"	Mary (Giles), wife of John Wheeler.
"	"	Joshua, of Joshua — deceased — and Joanna (Larkin, <i>née</i> Hale) Dodge.
30.	"	Jerusha, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Raymond.
14.	Oct.	Jonathan, James, Mary, and Abigail, of John and Mary (Ellingwood) Smith.
"	"	Hannah, of William, 4th, and Hannah (Woodberry) Dodge.
21.	"	John, Jonathan, Mary, Esther, Abigail, of John and Mary (Giles) Wheeler.
"	"	Mark, of Edward and Mary (Haskell) Dodge.
28.	"	John, William, Miriam, and Marget, of William, Sen. — deceased — and Miriam (Hill) Haskell.
25.	Nov.	Daniel, of John and Bethiah (Mansfield) Conant.
"	"	David, of John and Mary (Giles) Wheeler.
"	"	Rebecca, of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Conant) Raymond.
2.	Dec.	Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone. (Adults.)

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24.	Feb.	Roger, of Lot and Abigail	Conant.
"	"	Israel, of William and Joanna (Wheeler) Woodberry.	(The mother a native of Concord.)
"	"	Abigail, of George and Sarah (Hayward) Harvey.	
3	Mar.	Martha	wife of James Wallis.
10.	"	Paul, of William, Jr. and Mary (Kettell) Raymond.	
7.	Apr.	Daniel, of John and Alice (Derby) Woodberry.	(The mother of Marblehead.)

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MARRIAGE NOTICES, FOR THE WHOLE UNITED STATES, 1785 — 1794.

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Payson, Phillips, jun. At Charlestown, on Tuesday evening last, P. P., jun., Esq., to Miss Ruthy Larkin, eldest daughter of Deacon John Larkin, of that town. (S. Apr. 6, 1793.)

Payson, Samuel. In this town, Mr. S. P., of Charlestown, to Miss Grace Welsh. (S. Dec. 18, 1790.)

Pearce, Capt. Robert. Capt. R. P., of Nova-Scotia, to Miss Polly Townsend. (S. Nov. 19, 1791.)

At Newport implied.

Pease, David. [At Nantucket] Mr. D. P. to Miss Sally Forsdick. (W. Sept. 14, 1793.)

Pebbles, Hugh. At Lansingburg, H. P., Esq., to Miss Abigail Serrat, of Newport, R.I. (S. Dec. 20, 1794.)

Peale, Abigail Mason, m. John Dabney.

Pearce, Bethiah, m. Robert Williams.

Pearce, Sally, m. John Williams.

Pease, Mrs., m. Thomas Crane.

Pease, Mercy, m. John Read.

Peck, Miss, m. Edwards Ely.

Peck, Mrs. May, m. Hon. Walter Spooner.

Peck, Nancy B., m. Edward Stow.

Peck, Rufus. At Woodstock, Mr. R. P. to Miss Lydia Lyon. (W. Feb. 13, 1793.)

Peckham, Polly, m. Jonathan Merrick.

Peete, Rebecca, m. Benjamin Seward.

Peirce, Ann, m. John Lathrop, jun.

Peirce, Betsy, m. Reuben Blake.

Peirce, David. At Gloucester, D. P., Esq., to Miss Nabby Ingersol. (W. Dec. 19, 1792.)

Peirce, Eliza, m. Thomas Passmore.

Peirce, Mrs. Elizabeth, m. Capt. John Derby.

Peirce, Heman. Mr. H. P. to Miss Polly Bowen. (S. July 6, 1793.)

In this town implied.

Pelham, Helena, m. Thomas Curtis.

Penhallow, Polly, m. Daniel Austin.

Penniman, Atherton. In this town, Mr. A. P. to Miss Abigail Butterfield. (W. June 11, 1794.)

Pepper, Capt. Isaac. In this town, Capt. I. P. to Miss Polly Harris Edes [both of this town]. (S. Dec. 15, 1792.)

Perket, John. In this town, Mr. J. P. to Miss Elizabeth Poole. (W. July 24, 1793.)

Perkins, Mrs. Abigail, m. Doct. Nathaniel S. Prentiss.

Perkins, Elizabeth, m. Hon. Stephen Higginson.

Perkins, Elizabeth, m. Capt. John Matchet.

Perkins, James. At Worcester, Mr. J. P., of this town, to Miss Sally Paine, daughter of the Hon. Timothy Paine, Esq., of that place. (W. Jan. 25, 1786.)

Perkins, James. Mr. J. P. to Mrs. Mary Donnell [both of this town]. (W. Nov. 17, 1790.)

Perkins, Nabby, m. Benjamin Weld.

Perkins, Doctor Richard, jun., at Whitestown (N.Y.). Doctor R. P., jun., formerly of Bridgwater, in this State, to the amiable Miss Eliza Nichols, of that place. (W. Dec. 21, 1791.)

Perkins, Sally, m. Hon. Stephen Higginson.

Perkins, Samuel. [In this town] Mr. S. P. to Miss Call. (S. May 18, 1793.)

Perkins, Thomas. Mr. T. P., merchant, to Miss Charlotte Appleton, daughter to Nathaniel Appleton, Esq. (W. Jan. 21, 1789.)

Perkins, Thomas H. Mr. T. H. P., merchant, to Miss Sally Elliot, only daughter of Mr. Simon Elliot. (W. Mch. 26, 1788.)

Perry, John. In this town, Mr. J. P. to Miss Catherine Grough. (S. Dec. 27, 1794.)

- Peters, William B. In this town, Mr. W. B. P. to Miss Mary Purkett. (S. June 21, 1794.)
- Pettis, Lydia, m. Capt. Matthew Hanly.
- Phelon, Major Edward. At Charleston (S.C.) Major E. P., of the Massachusetts line of the late army, to Miss Susannah Frances Barksdale, of that city — a young lady of merit. (S. Feb. 21, 1789.)
- Phelps, William. [At Salem] Mr. W. P., to Miss Sarah Punchard. (W. Jan. 2, 1793.)
- Philbrook, Daniel. At Bath, Mr. D. P. to Miss Betsy Moody. (S. Feb. 9, 1893.)
- Phille, Mary, m. John Knapp.
- Phillips, Hannah, m. John Ireland.
- Phillips, Mrs. Christina, m. Capt. John Brown.
- Phillips, Elizabeth, m. John Millet.
- Phillips, Hannah, m. Samuel Shaw.
- Phillips, Israel. At Greenfield, Mr. I. P. to Miss Mercy Bascom. (W. Nov. 26, 1794.)
- Phillips, James. At Ipswich, Mr. J. P., of this town, to Miss Sally Farley, daughter to the late Hon. Michael Farley, Esq., of that place. (W. Dec. 19, 1792.)
- Phillips, John. In this town, by the Rev. Dr. Howard, J. P., Esq., attorney-at-law, to Miss Sally Walley, both of this town. (S. Dec. 20, 1794.)
- Phillips, Lucy, m. Ephraim Jones.
- Phillips, Lydia, m. William Story, junr.
- Phillips, Mary, m. Rev. Dr. Bass.
- Phillips, Patty, m. Reuben Gould.
- Phillips, Peggy, m. Samuel Cooper.
- Phillips, Polly, m. Dr. William Spooner.
- Phillips, Sally, m. Edward Dowse.
- Phillips, Hon. William. In this town, on Thursday morning last, the Hon. W. P., Esq., to Mrs. Sarah Beck, both of this town. (S. June 23, 1792.)
- Phipps, Samuel. In this town, Mr. S. P. to Miss Eliza Howard. (S. Nov. 29, 1794.)

- Pick, Jacobus. On Sunday evening, Mons. J. P. to Miss Elizabeth Bradshaw, of the Boston Theatre. (S. July 12, 1794.)
- Pickard, Polly, m. Benjamin Brown.
- Pickering, Betsy, m. John Symonds.
- Pickman, Sally, m. Isaac Osgood.
- Pico, Richard Lane. Mr. R. L. P. to Miss Hannah Gore, both of this town. (W. May 7, 1794.)
- Pierce, Col. At New York, Col. P., Paymaster-General of the army, to Miss Nancy Bard, daughter of Dr. Bard, an eminent physician of that city. (S. Nov. 18, 1786.)
- Pierce, Charles. In this town, Mr. C. P. to Miss Betsy Oliver. (W. Mch. 13, 1793.)
- Pierce, Eliza, m. Thomas Passmore.
- Pierce, Isaac. Mr. I. P. to Mrs. Joanna Harris, widow of the late Capt. Josiah Harris, formerly of Charlestown. (W. Mch. 14, 1787.)
- Pierce, John. In this town, by the Rev. Dr. Stillman, Mr. J. P. to Mrs. Sally Lobdell, both of this town. (W. Jan. 4, 1792.)
- Pierce, Sally, m. Isaac Edes.
- Pierce, Samuel. Last week, by the Rev. Mr. Eliot, Mr. S. P. to Miss Hannah Luther Tyler. (S. Oct. 8, 1791.)
- Pierce, Samuel. At Easton, Mr. S. P., of Dorchester, to Miss Polly Lathrop, of Easton. (S. May 12, 1792.)
- Pierpont, Sally, m. William Taylor.
- Pierson, Betsy, m. Samuel Boyd.
- Pierson, Rachel, m. Richard Fox.
- Pigeon, Henry. At Newton, Mr. H. P., merchant, to Miss Betsy Starr. (W. May 5, 1790.)
- Pigeon, John. At Newton, Mr. J. P., merchant, to the agreeable Miss Jemima Parker, both of that town. (W. Feb. 10, 1790.)
- Pillsbury, Elizabeth, m. Samuel Dennis.

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PRESTON, CONN., RECORDS OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

(Continued from page 44.)

John Clark m. 8 Apr. 1725 Hannah Billings. Timothy b. 18 Jan'y 172 $\frac{1}{4}$, Thankfull b. 24 Mch. 172 $\frac{3}{8}$, Ebenezer b. 11 Aug. 1731, "Jerusha Clark their Daug^r" b. 24 Aug. 1736.

(16)* Andrew Lester m. 28 Dec. 1714 Lidya Starkweather, and had John b. 2 Jan'y 171 $\frac{6}{7}$, Timothy b. 2 Aug. 1718, John b. 19 July 1721, Mary b. 19 Oct. 1723. Liv^t. Andrew Lester d. 22 May 1751.

Peter Randell m. "in September" 1719 Phebe Beniamins, and had Elizabeth b. 20 June 1720, Greenfield b. 8 Oct. 1722, Lemuell b. 13 Apr. 1726.

Ezekiel Bundy "son of Joseph Bundy" b. 13 Sept. 1736.

(17) Joseph Gears m. 7 Jan'y 1692 Sarah Howard. Joseph b. 17 Oct. 1693, [Kezia b. 23 Feb'y 17 $\frac{0}{10}$, Sara b. 17 Feb'y 1712, Benajah 31 May 1714.] "The above sd Joseph Geers juner Dyed May ye 19th 1718." (The bracketed names have been overwritten and then crossed out at a later period.)

Joseph Gears m. 18 Oct. 1713 Suzannah Simsby. James b. $\frac{1}{4}$ Jan'y 171 $\frac{1}{4}$, Susannah b. $\frac{2}{8}$ Mch. 171 $\frac{6}{7}$, Joseph b. 19 May 1719, Silas b. 26 Mch. 1722, Ezra b. 16 May 1724. (The double dates indicate my inability to decide the right reading. Probably the lower one is correct, as it appears to be written over the other.)

Joshua Parke m. 28 Oct. 1719 Rachell Parrich.

Thomas Rose ye 3^d m. 28 Mch. 172 $\frac{1}{8}$ Joannah Wiat, and had Joannah b. 16 Apr. 1729.

(18) "Daniell Gears Sen^r"

* These references are to old paging.

NOTE.—Quotation marks are used to mark any peculiarities in the record.

Daniell b. 15 June 1700, John b. 29 Mch. 1703, Christopher b. 19 Dec. 1706, Ebenezer b. 29 Dec. 1709, William b. 4 Jan'y 1713, Thankfull b. 7 Jan'y 172 $\frac{1}{2}$. "Daniell Geer Senr" d. 2 Oct. 1749.

Ruth Phillips (dau. of Jonathan Phillips) b. 14 Mch. 17 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{9}{10}$, d. 27 Mch. 17 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{9}{10}$.

Jonathan Phillips (son of Jonathan & Esther) b. 8 Feb'y 172 $\frac{3}{8}$, Sarah b. 31 Jan'y 172 $\frac{3}{4}$, Ayer (son) b. 16 Mch. 1726, John b. 21 Oct. 1727, Daniel b. 9 Feb'y 17 $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{9}{10}$, Samuel b. 10 May 1732, Esther b. 2 Mch. 1735, Asa b. 6 Apr. 1737.

Joseph Tyler Ju^r of Preston m. 24 Sept. 1741 "Anna Stephens of Plainfield." Ama b. 9 June 1742, Anna b. 3 Mch. 174 $\frac{3}{4}$, Joanna b. 20 Nov. 1745; "Ama & Anna" d. "August ye last day 1746."

(19) Henery wallbridg m. 25 Dec. 1688 anah Amas, and had William b. 20 Mch. 1690, Amas (son?) b. 9 Apr. 1693, (no sex, no name) walbridge b. 26 May 1696.

John Hill m. 29 Oct. 1713 Elesabeth yarrinton, and had Elizabeth b. 5 Feb'y 171 $\frac{4}{5}$.

Samuel Cogswell ("son to Edward" & Hannah) b. 1 Mch. 1710, Nathanell b. 13 Feb'y 1716, Judeth b. 25 June 1717, Hannah b. 13 Apr. 1720.

"Susannah Burton late wife to Isaac Burton Died July ye 9 1742." Isaac Burton m. 27 Jan'y 174 $\frac{3}{4}$ Abigail Rea "both of Preston." "Said Abigail" d. 1 Jan'y 174 $\frac{6}{7}$. "The aboue sd Isaac Burton" d. 17 July 1747.

(20) "The age of Thomas Edwards Children born of Dorothy his wife are as followeth."

Thankful b. 26 Feb'y 172 $\frac{0}{1}$, William b. 21 Feb'y 172 $\frac{3}{8}$, Dorothy b. 23 Nov. 1724. "Thomas Edwards of Norwich" m. 14 May 1720 "Dorithy Billings of Preston."

"Samuell Killom."

Lidia b. 3 June 1733, Elizabeth (dau. of Samuell & Elisabeth) b. 25 Apr. 1717, Hannah b. 4 Apr. 1719, Samⁿ b. "last day of March 1721," Ann b. 16 Jan'y 1723, Deborah b. 30 May 1725, Mary b. 22 July 1728, Rachell b. 24 Nov. 1730.

Eleazer Putnam m. Hannah Billings 7 Jan'y 173 $\frac{1}{2}$.

(21) "The marriage of John meatch and hannah yeoman ware maryed Augst 26th; 1691 and john meatch was born" 18 Jan'y 1695, William b. 7 May 1696, Thomas b. 18 Nov. 1697.

"Moses Belcher."

Moses Belcher (son of Moses & Hannah) d. 13 Oct. 1722 "and in ye 24th year of his age." "The s^d Moses Belcher" d. 4 May 1728. "Elisha Belcher his son" d. 20 July 1729. "The above s^d. Hannah wife of ye above s^d Moses Belcher" d. 20 Aug. 1745.

Elijah Belcher m. 17 Sept. 1724 "Abiail" Kinni, and had Moses b. 20 Oct. 1725, Elijah b. 18 Sept. 1727; "Abigail wife of ye sd Elijah Belcher" d. 21 Sept. 1727. Elisabeth dau. "to Elijah Belcher and his wife born" 8 May 1730, Moses "son to above sd Elijah" d. 11 Jan'y 173 $\frac{2}{3}$, Moses b. 11 Mch. 1734, Abigail b. 30 May 1736. "Mrs. Elisabeth Belcher ye 2^d wife of Mr. Elijah Belcher" d. 13 Feb'y 1753. Mr. Elijah Belcher m. 6 June 1753 "Mrs. Hannah Williams both of Preston."

(22) "Beniamin Brewster."

Benjamin Brewster m. 16 Oct. 1713 Elisabeth Witter, and had William b. 16 Sept. 1714, Simon b. 10 June 1720, Judah b. 7 Apr. 1723, Abel b. 22 May 1725, Judah b. 27 Feb'y 1729, Elisabeth b. 27 Oct. 1732, Amos b. 22 June 1735, Sirius b. 18 Aug. 1738. "The above named Elisabeth Brewster wife to sd Benjamin Died" 21 Feb'y 174 $\frac{1}{2}$ "Benjamin Brewster above sd of Preston" m. 10 June 1741 "Sarah Caukins of Norwich," and had Jonas b. 16 June 1742.

"Edward Cogswell."

John cogswell b. 5 Apr. 1722, Luse b. 14 Apr. 1726, Martha b. 11 Nov. 1728, Emerson b. 19 July 1732, William "their son" b. 22 Dec. 1734.

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CURWEN OF SALEM, MASS.

Arms: Argent, fretty Gules, a chief Azure (but in the illustration a fret and masle).

Crest: An Unicorn's head erased Argent, armed Or.

Motto: *Si je n'estoy.*

The arms presented in this issue are those of the Curwens, of Salem. They are similar to those borne by the Curwens of Workington, in Cumberland, and allied families in Lancashire and Yorkshire. The Lancashire family, which is of considerable antiquity, has not been actually proven to be of the same blood as those of Cumberland. The latter are an ancient family descended from Saxon and Scottish monarchs. It was to one of that family, Sir Henry Curwen, to whom Mary, Queen of Scots, surrendered herself.

The ancestry of the New England family has not been traced to either of the principal branches of the family in England. The history of many of the sons in those families is unknown.

All that is known of the origin of the Salem family is what the eminent genealogist, Mr. H. F. Waters, discovered. He found that John Curwin, named in an ancient pedigree in possession of the family as the father of George, Thomas, and Matthias Corwin, the emigrants to America, died in 1631, leaving a will, dated 14 May, 1631, in which those sons and several daughters are named.

He was a resident in Sibbertoft, on the northern border of Northamptonshire, and left a wife, Margery.

There evidently was a family of Curwins in Sibbertoft as early as the middle of the sixteenth century.

The right to armorial honors for the New England family rests upon the use of the arms at a very early date and the possession of a seal ring which belonged to Capt. George

Corwin, the emigrant. This ring is still in existence. The arms are those of the ancient English family. It is almost certain that George Corwin * brought those arms with him in 1638, when he was but twenty-eight years old, and it is not at all likely that a young man without property (his fortune came from his wife) would have thought of or presumed to have a seal ring cut. If we dismiss the assumption that he was the one who had the ring made and accept the theory that he brought it with him, then it follows he had it from his father or some other relative. It is not likely that his father, a husbandman, assumed the arms. The ring, which is reproduced herewith, is of ancient design. It is the belief of the writer that it came to George Corwin from some relative of his father who was entitled to use the arms. The crescent-in-chief, the sign of a younger branch, does not appear till a later generation.

Considerable space has been devoted to this case for the reason that it is the intention of the editor to include in this series only coats of arms rightfully borne by American families. When, as in the present case, there is no written evidence of the descent of the first possessor of the arms in America from an armorial family, the editor will give his reasons for admitting the claim to armorial bearings.

A *résumé* of the evidence in the case is presented below, principally taken from the "Heraldic Journal."

The motto is peculiar and interesting — *Si je n'estoy*. It is an ancient French phrase in heraldic use, and freely translated would be "*See if I do not my part*."

The family is represented in New England and the West.

I. (1675.) The following is a memorandum, from a MS. by Daniel Ward, of Salem :

"Salem, July 28th, 1802. Then I bought of Col. Benjamin Pickman a ring which belonged to George Curwin, and was on his finger at the time he was taken in portrait about 1675.

* Curwen is evidently the correct form of the name; the spelling Corwin appears about the end of the 17th century.

It has the arms of the family of Curwin, and is of very antient fashion."

II. (1688-9.) George Curwin, sheriff of Essex county, son of John, and grandson of George the emigrant, left an impression upon wax on a deed signed by him dated March 21st, 1688-9. This deed is signed very distinctly "George Curwen."

III. (1690-1.) Another impression of the same, on a deed by the same grantor, dated Jan. 27, 1690. He writes his name, in this instance, "George Corwin."

IV. (1690.) A still better impression of another seal. It bears the crescent-in-chief. The deed to which this seal is affixed was executed by Hon. Jonathan Corwin, son of the first George, and a magistrate and citizen of distinction. It is dated 15th Sept., 1690. This is probably Judge Jonathan Corwin's ring. He, being the second son, has the crescent.

V. (1698.) A pen-and-ink drawing in a MS. in the collection of the American Antiquarian Society, at Worcester, of the arms of Curwen impaling Sheaf; signed, "Geo. Curwin, 1698." He was son of Jonathan, above named. The sketch was made, probably, while he was a student at Cambridge.

VI. (1714-15.) A portrait of the Revd. George Curwen last named, taken in clerical (?) garments. As he was ordained assistant pastor of the First Church in Salem, in 1714, and died 23 Nov., 1717, his portrait must have been painted at some time between those years. This picture was cleaned and rebaked about 1865, which process brought to light the Curwen arms in their proper colors thereon, with the crescent-in-chief.

VII. (1755.) A fragment of still another seal bearing the same arms, on the back of a letter of June 16, 1755, from several Corwins in New Jersey, to Samuel Curwen of Salem. This letter contains genealogical facts establishing the connection of the families in Salem and New Jersey.

VIII. (1775-83.) Arms in which a field fretty is sub-

stituted for the fret and mascle of the older seal hereinbefore noticed. These arms were cut by "Jno. Barnes, Coventry st., London," for Samuel Curwen above mentioned. The original seal is lost, but the artist's proof is still preserved in a box labelled with his name and number as given above. This artist's proof is now in the possession of Geo. R. Curwen, of Salem.

IX. In addition to the foregoing, a silver seal bearing the Curwen arms, without the crescent, is now in the possession of James Dana Curwen, of North Andover, and grandson of James Barr Curwen, of Salem, who formerly owned it. This was found among the effects of Samuel Curwen above named, at his decease in 1802. Its age is not known, but it has the appearance of quite an old seal.

The descendants of John Curwen, son of George, the first of the name here, in Lincoln, Ia., have a seal ring with the arms of Curwen upon it. Impressions from this seal, and a photograph of it, which is here shown, prove identical with the impressions made by George, the sheriff, on the deeds (1688-9) (1690-91), and must have been made by the same seal when it was in Salem. The tradition in the Iowa family is that it belonged to George Curwen, their first ancestor of the name in this country, and that a George Curwen had always owned it since. The present owner is a George. Is it not likely that this ring is "*The Gold Ring*" mentioned in the settlement of George Curwen's estate?

George Curwen, the emigrant, was born Dec. 10, 1610. Came to Salem in 1638, and died there Jan. 3, 1685. His first wife was Elizabeth White, widow of John White and daughter of John and Dorothea Herbert. His second wife was Elizabeth Brook, widow of Robert Brook and daughter of Gov. Edward Winslow, of Plymouth Colony.

His portrait, which was painted about 1675, is now in the possession of George R. Curwen, of Salem, together with the cane and lace bands in which he was painted. There

was always a tradition in the family that George Curwen, the emigrant, brought a ring from England with the arms of the Curwen family of Workington Hall, Cumberland County, England, upon it.

In the settlement of the estate of Capt. George Curwen, in 1685, some papers in Boston, also copies of the same in the rooms of the American Antiquarian Society in Worcester, contain copies of division of his estate between his widow and his children, she being his second wife; widow of his son John; and William Browne, Esq., who married his daughter Hannah.

The widow and her children have certain articles of plate and money.

Margaret, widow of his son John (the eldest son), has certain articles of plate and money, also part of "the Gold Ring," valued at 00.03.02.

William Brown, Jr., certain articles of plate, also part of "the Gold Ring," valued at 00.03.02.

The above accounts can also be found in Weeden's "Economic and Social History of New England," vol. 1, p. 316.

Samuel Curwen, the Loyalist, says in his Diary, "Our arms or those I have from my ancestors assumed are frette and may consist of 4, 6 or 8 whole lozenges, according to the bigness of the field, as the Norray King of arms informed me; y^e word importing as many as fancy or convenience shall direct."



ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

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71. Samuel³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born Dec. 26, 1690; married Abigail. He sold his share of his father's homestead to his brother Joseph in 1727. About 1719 he is of Bristol, buys land; Dec. 30, 1723, is of Lyme, Conn.; he sells this land in Bristol. On Bristol church records we find four children of Samuel and Abigail Southworth, baptized Dec. 26, 1721, and on Lyme Records we find the rest.

Children:

386. Eleazar⁴ Southworth.

387. Elizabeth Southworth.

388. William Southworth.

389. Rebecca Southworth.

390. Samuel Southworth, born in Lyme, May 5, 1723.

391. Amos Southworth, { born March 15, 1724-5; Amos

392. Abigail Southworth, { died June 14, 1725.

393. Mary Southworth, born May 15, 1727.

72. Nathaniel³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born Oct. 31, 1692. Died in Mansfield, 1731. Married Mary Torrey, daughter of Capt. Josiah Torrey, of Medfield, and his wife, Sarah Wilson (Rev. John, Rev. John). Rev. Thomas Hooker had a daughter, Sarah Hooker, who married Rev. John Wilson, Jr., of Medfield; their oldest daughter, Sarah Wilson, married, first, Paul Batts, and had two children; married, second, Capt. Josiah Torrey, of Medfield and Milford. (See will of Rev. John Wilson in History of Medfield.) Capt. Josiah Torrey was born in Weymouth about 1645; he was son of William Torrey, who

was born in Combe St. Nicholas, Somersetshire, Eng., Dec. 21, 1608. He married, first, March 17, 1629, Agnes Combe. He married, second, Jane Haviland, who was the mother of Samuel and Joseph. He married, third, the daughter of Edward Frye. In 1640 he came to New England and brought with him his third wife and Samuel, born 1632, and Joseph, 1638. He settled in Weymouth. He was deputy to the General Court, and was clerk for many years. As part payment for services rendered, the General Court gave him and others a very large tract of land in what is now Mendon and Milford, Mass.

Children born in Weymouth : Noomi, born Dec. 3, 1641 ; Mary, born Dec. 3, 1642 ; Micajah, born Oct. 12, 1643 ; married Susanna. He died Jan. 20, 1710. Josiah, about 1645 ; Judith, born about 1647 ; Angel, born about 1650 ; married Hannah. Capt. Josiah married Sarah (Wilson) Batts. He lived in Milford as well as Medfield ; removed to Bristol, 1706, then to Barrington, 1717, and was there till about 1726 ; thence to Mansfield, Conn., where he died Oct. 30, 1732. (*I think* Margaret Torrey, who married Caleb Church (Joseph, Joseph, Richard) was his daughter.) We know he had Mary, born April 17, 1689 ; John, April 4, 1692. Mr. Horace F. Currier sent me most of these facts in regard to the Torreys, and I think they are so valuable I insert them here. Mary (Torrey) Southworth survived her husband and married again — whom we do not know — and lived in Mansfield. Her second husband was a mill-owner.

The Southworth genealogy states that Nathaniel Southworth, who went to Mansfield, was son of Nathaniel (son of Constant), who married Desire Gray. According to Davis' "Landmarks of Plymouth," this Nathaniel married Jael Howland and lived at Middleboro. Nathaniel Southworth, of Middleboro, sells land received from his grandfather, Edward Gray, through his mother, Desire Gray. He also names brother Ichabod.

was born in Combe St. Nicholas, Somersetshire, Eng., Dec. 11, 1608. He married first, March 17, 1629, Agnes Combe. He married second, Jane Hilditch, who was the mother of Samuel and Joseph. He married third, the daughter of Edward Fyfe. In 1640 he came to New England and brought with him his third wife and Samuel, born 1637, and Joseph, 1638. He settled in Weymouth. He was deputy to the General Court, and was clerk for many years. As part payment for services rendered, the General Court gave him and others a very large tract of land in what is now Marston and Milford, Mass.

Children born in Weymouth: Samuel, born Dec. 3, 1641; Mary, born Dec. 3, 1645; Joseph, born Oct. 15, 1647; married Susanna. He died Jan. 30, 1710, and was buried in the church. (See also 1647; aged, 60; about 1680.) married Hannah. (See also 1647; aged, 60; about 1680.) He lived in Milford as well as in Hilditch; removed to Hilditch, 1708; then to Hilditch, 1711, and was there till about 1720; then to Hilditch, 1721, when he died. On Dec. 17, 1721, he took Margaret Tupper, who married John Church (Joseph, husband) and his daughter. We know he had Mary, born April 17, 1649; John, April 4, 1655. Mr. Thomas F. Carter was one of the first to be buried in the Tupper, and I think that was as valuable I never knew how. Mary (Tupper) was buried in the Tupper and married again — when we do not know — and lived in Hilditch. She was buried in the Tupper.

The Southworth genealogy states that Nathaniel Southworth, who went to Hilditch, was son of Nathaniel Southworth, who married Peter Gray. According to Gray's "Landmarks of Weymouth," this Nathaniel married Jane Hilditch and lived in Hilditch. Nathaniel Southworth, of Hilditch, who had twelve from his grandfather, Edward Gray, through his mother, Peter Gray. He also names Peter Hilditch.

Nathaniel Southworth, No. 72, styling himself as of Little Compton, wheelwright, buys land in Bristol. Then, as of Bristol, buys land in Mansfield. In 1722 he sells to brother Joseph his share of homestead of honored father, William Southworth, of Little Compton. In 1730 was lost at sea on a voyage to the Mediterranean. At that time his son Constant was nine months old.

Thomas Southworth, of Middlesex, was not a son of No. 72. Children born in Bristol:

- 394. Nathaniel⁴ Southworth, born Feb. 13, 1714-15; baptized Oct. 2, 1715.
- 395. William Southworth, born Jan. 9, 1716-7; baptized Oct. 27, 1717.
- 396. Josiah Southworth, born Sept. 4, 1719.

Nathaniel Southworth went to Mansfield in 1720. On Mansfield records we find:

- 397. John Southworth, born Sept. 10, 1721.
- 398. Joseph Southworth, born Aug. 16, 1724.
- 399. Constant Southworth, born April 15, 1730.

73. Thomas³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born Dec. 13, 1694; married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings, Patience Thurston, daughter of Jonathan and Sarah Thurston. She was born Feb. 16, 1702. Her father gives to granddaughter, Rebecca Southworth, in 1735, "£20 and all household stuff that belonged to her mother, Patience." I think the mother died soon after the birth of her daughter:

- 400. Rebecca⁴ Southworth.

We know the children of all the brothers of Thomas and all his cousins, yet there appear several that are not accounted for, especially in Ashford, the next town to Mansfield. I think Thomas married again, went to Connecticut, and had other children. I place them here. Thomas, it would seem, finally went to Middlesex, N.J.

According to tradition a Thomas went to Middlesex, N.J., and had four sons at least: William, afterwards in Bridge-water, N.Y. Joseph also went to New York. There was a Samuel, of Mansfield, who married an Aspinwall. In the Revolutionary War there was a Thomas from Ashford, Conn. For the present, therefore, I insert as children by second wife:

401. Samuel⁴ Southworth.

402. William Southworth.

403. Joseph Southworth.

404. Thomas Southworth.

74. Stephen³ Southworth (Rebecca² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born March 3, 1696; married (intentions Dec. 25, 1725), by Rev. Richard Billings, Jan. 27, 1725-6, Lydia Warren. She was, perhaps, one of the descendants of Richard Warren who went to Dartmouth and Freetown. Stephen Southworth sold his land in Little Compton in 1727. He went to Freetown, but May 16, 1733, he sells his land in Freetown to Ephraim Elsburg, calling himself of Little Compton, and March 17, 1737-8, sells more land in Freetown to Joseph Borden. Children on Freetown records (possibly others):

405. Rebecca⁴ Southworth, born Oct. 7, 1726.

406. Thomas Southworth, born Sept. 5, 1728.

407. Stephen Southworth, born Jan. 12, 1731.

75. Benjamin³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1684. I know nothing more, except that he was alive in 1713.

76. Joseph³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1686; alive in 1713; married Lydia Nelson, daughter of John and Patience (Morton) Nelson. She was born 1694 and died April 6, 1739. He died Jan. 9, 1764, æt. 77.

Children:

408. Isaiah⁴ Bartlett, born in Duxbury, Mar. 27, 1716.

- 409. Patience Bartlett, born in Duxbury, July 27, 1718.
- 410. Hannah Bartlett, born in Duxbury, March 27, 1721; died July 11 or 12, 1739.
- 411. Lydia Bartlett, born in Duxbury, Aug. 30, 1725.
- 412. Sarah Bartlett, } these on authority of Davis'
- 413. Elizabeth Bartlett, } "Landmarks."

77. Samuel³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born 1688. Winsor says an officer at Louisburg. Davis says: married Hannah Churchill, daughter of John and Rebecca (Delano) Churchill, in 1725, and had:

- 414. Samuel⁴ Bartlett.
- 415. Wm. Bartlett.
- 416. John Bartlett.
- 417. Judah Bartlett.

78. Hannah³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). She was alive in 1713. Winsor says perhaps married Benj. Arnold. I know nothing more.

79. Ichabod³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). He was a minor in 1713. He married, in 1721, Susannah Spooner, daughter of Ebenezer and Mercy (Branch) Spooner. Davis, in "Ancient Landmarks," has given the wrong parentage to this Ichabod, calling him son of Ichabod, but this can be relied upon. Davis says he had two children:

- 418. Ichabod⁴ Bartlett.
- 419. Solomon Bartlett.

80. Elizabeth³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Alive, a minor, in 1713.

81. Lydia³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Alive in 1713. Davis says she married Joseph Holmes.

82. Sarah³ Bartlett (Hannah² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). A minor in 1713. Davis says she married, as his third wife, Nathan Thomas. He married, first, Alice Baker in 1713;

second, Abiah Snow, 1717; and third, Sarah Bartlett, 1719. He was son of Samuel Thomas and Mercy (Ford) Thomas. I know nothing more.

83. Elizabeth³ Pabodie (William,² Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, R.I., April 10, 1698. She married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings, May 9, 1716, Edward³ Gray, son of Thomas² (Edward¹) and Anna (Little) Gray. He was born in Little Compton, Nov. 29, 1699, and died Jan., 1759, I think, in Tiverton, or near the line.

Children from church and town records of Little Compton :

420. Daniel⁴ Gray, baptized June 1, 1718, of Edward Gray, Jr.
421. Mary Gray, of Edward, Jr., baptized August 9, 1719; died very soon.
422. Mary Gray, born Feb. 17, 1720; baptized Mary Gray, of Tiverton, Sept. 11, 1720; died Aug. 14, 1723.
423. Antrise Gray, born Nov. 12, 1721; baptized April 16, 1721 (must be a mistake for 1722; the church records are badly torn); died July 4, 1723.
424. Thomas Gray, born Sept. 6, 1722; Thomas Gray, of Edward and Elizabeth, baptized June 2, 1723.
425. Mary Gray, born Aug. 2, 1744, town records. I feel sure there is a mistake in the copying, and that the date is 1724, and she is the Mary baptized, of Edward and Eliza, Nov. 1, 1724.
426. Antrice Gray, 2d, born July 10, 1726; baptized Sept. 18, 1726.
427. Edward Gray, born Sept. 1, 1728; baptized Sept. 17, 1728.
428. Anna Gray, born March 14, 1731; baptized Sept. 26, 1731.
429. Eliza, wife of Edward Gray, baptized Oct. 25, 1731.
430. Rebecca Gray, born 1734; baptized Sept. 25, 1734, of Edward and Elizabeth.
431. Phebe Gray, born 1738.
432. Robert Gray, born 1742; church records give Robert

Gray, of Edward and Elizabeth, baptized June 13, 1736.*

84. John³ Pabodie (William,² Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 7, 1700. He died Jan. 2, 1767, in Little Compton (Pabodie Gen.). He married Rebecca Gray, daughter of Thomas and Anna (Little) Gray, sister to Edward Gray, who married Elizabeth Pabodie, No. 83. She was born Aug. 1, 1704, and baptized in Little Compton church as Rebecca Pabodie, July 13, 1729.

Children from town and church records :

- 433. Elizabeth⁴ Pabodie, born Dec. 5, 1723; died Sept. 5, 1802.
- 434. Antrace Pabodie, born July 5, 1726; died Oct. 21, 1726.
- 435. Anna Pabodie, born Aug. 20, 1728; baptized Aug. 24, 1728; died Nov. 5, 1728.
- 436. Judith Pabodie, born July 20, 1730.
- 437. Priscilla Pabodie, of Dea. John and Rebecca, baptized July 26, 1730.
- 438. Mary Pabodie, born March 21, 1732; baptized April 2, 1732; died Sept. 30, 1732.
- 439. John Pabodie, born March 14, 1733; baptized March, 1733.
- 440. Abigail Pabodie, born Jan 16, 1735.
- 441. Ephraim Pabodie, of John and Rebecca, baptized Nov. 19, 1736.
- 442. Sarah Pabodie, born Aug. 18, 1738; baptized Aug. 20, 1738.
- 443. Mercy Pabodie, born June 30, 1740; baptized July 6, 1740; died single, aged 81.
- 444. Comfort Pabodie, born Dec. 9, 1744; baptized Oct. 16, 1774.
- 445. Ruth Pabodie, born June 10, 1746; baptized June 15, 1746.

85. William³ Pabodie (William,² Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 21, 1702; died in North Stonington, Conn., July 3, 1778. He married, in Little

* Above dates as given in town and church records.

Compton, July 30, 1724, Jerusha Starr, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Morgan) Starr. Her mother was third wife of William² Pabodie, father of the above. She was born in New London, Feb. 8, baptized Feb. 21, 1702-3. She came with her mother to Little Compton. I do not know where and when she died, but presume in North Stonington. William Pabodie moved to North Stonington between the years 1741-1744. In 1745 he bought there a farm of 250 acres, on which he and many of his descendants are buried, and upon which some of his descendants are still living. His will is dated May 11, 1773. Probated July 3, 1778.

Inventory of his estate amounted to £1,715.18.3.

Children born in Little Compton :

- 446. Rachel⁴ Pabodie, born June 1, 1725 ; baptized Sept. 9, 1725.
- 447. Thomas Pabodie, born Nov. 3, 1727 ; baptized March 31, 1728.
- 448. Hannah Pabodie, born Dec. 3, 1729 ; baptized March 8, 1729-30.
- 449. William Pabodie, born April 16, 1733 ; baptized June 24, 1733.
- 450. Lydia Pabodie, born Jan. 7, 1735 ; baptized April 11, 1736.
- 451. Samuel Pabodie, born Aug. 31, 1738 ; baptized July 13, 1739.
- 452. Lemuel Pabodie, born Aug. 12, 1741 ; baptized Nov. 1, 1741 ; died in North Stonington, Aug. 16, 1789.

Born in Stonington, Conn. :

- 453. James Pabodie, } born Dec. 14, 1745.
- 454. Mary Pabodie, } Mary died single, March 12, 1826.

I am indebted to Walter Pabodie, of Providence, and Dr. Selim Peabody, of Chicago, for much help in these families, especially after they leave Little Compton. Dr. Peabody may issue a Peabody genealogy. About this time the name began to be changed to Peabodie.

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ABSTRACTS FROM ESSEX DEEDS.

(Continued from page 235, Vol. V.)

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3-12-1652.

Thomas Weeks of Salem, turner, hath sold to
Salem. John Wilson of Salem, one dwelling house in
Salem, with two acres of land adjoining, for 16^{li},
lying between William Lord and Thomas Roots lands, by
deed dated 3-12-1652.

3-12-1652.

Thomas Rix of Salem, barber, hath sold to
Salem. David Tamm[as], John Stone and Robert Stone,
that part of a dwelling house wherein formerly
dwelt William Cockrell, with $\frac{3}{4}$ acre land adjoining, and one
10 acre lot on Darby fort side, for nine pounds, by deed
dated 11 Nov., 1651.

4-12-1652

David Tammas, John and Robert Stone have
Salem. sold unto Robert Salloes for 9^{li} 10^s, part of the
dwelling house wherein William Cockrell lately
dwelt, and $\frac{3}{4}$ acre of land adjoining, by deed dated 4-12-
1652.

8-12-1652.

A Caveat for Humphrey Woodbery, of Salem,
Salem. fisherman, who purchased of Guydo Bayley of
Salem, [39] gardner, for 16[£] his dwelling house
and 20 acres of land, by writing dated 11 Oct., 1652.

9-12-1652.

Joseph Harris, of Salem, planter, hath sold
Salem unto Osmond Traske 40 acres of land on Royall
side lying between Jacob Barnyes and Edward
(110)

Bishops land within the bounds of Salem, for three pounds,
by deed dated 7-12-1652.

3-1-1652.

A caveat for William Browne who for 17^{li} 8^s
Gloucester due unto him from Thomas Verry of Gloucester,
hath a mortgage of his house and land in Gloucester
and Chebacco, and also his lot in Annesquam payable 15
June next, by deed dated 2 Nov., 1651.

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3-1-1652.

John Hathorne, of Malden in county of Middle-
Salem, sex, hath sold unto Thomas Putnam, of Salem in
the county of Essex, for forty five pounds his [40]
howse and land within the bounds of Salem conteyning 200
acres and 14 acres of upland and medoe more or lesse as by
a deed dated the 16 day of the 4th moneth 1651 apeth.

3-1-1652.

Richard Hutchinson, of Salem in the county of
Salem Essex, yeoman, for 7^{li} 10^s, hath sold unto Nathan-
iell Putnam halfe that farme w^{ch} was Mr. Stilemans
consisting of 75 acres of upland and 4 acres of medoe wthin
the bounds of Salem, as by a deed dated the 4th day of
December, 1651.

4-1-1652

Walter Price and Thomas Cole of Salem have
Salem, sold unto Thomas Putnam and Nathaniell Putnam
140 acres of upland and 14 acres of meadow, this
entry is only by way of Caveat, their writing being not yet
acknowledged before a magistrate, their writing beares
date the first moneth the 3^d day thereof 1652.

4-1-1652.

Salem. A Caveat for Nathaniell Putnam who bought of
Giles Cory 20 acres of upland near Ipswich river,
as by a writing dated the 3^d day of March, 1652.

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14-1-1652.

Salem. John Swasy, of Salem, hath sold to Dorothy
King, of Salem, widow, his dwelling house with
the land belonging to it lying on the South river
in Salem, and five or six acres of land in the South field
lying between Richard Hide and Daniel Rumball's lands, by
a writing dated 15-1-1652.

30-1-1653.

Wenham. Robert Gowing hath sold unto Ralph Elling-
wood his houses in Wenham, with 8 acres of
land joining to it, and ten acres of land in the
neck, and 2 acres of meadow in the great meadow near the
Island and all the common wich lyes in Wenham wich
belongs to the same house, for 9 pounds, by deed dated
24-11-1652.

30-1-1653.

Salem. Peter Palfrey, of Redding, county of Suffolk,
hath sold to Francis Skerry of Salem, husband-
man, for six pounds, two acres of marsh lying
near the ferry and abutting upon the garden of John Luff
in Salem, by deed dated 31-1-1653.

(41) 4-2-1653.

Salem. Robert Goodell, of Salem, planter, hath sold
unto Francis Skerry, for 4th 10^s., four acres of land
in Salem neck lying between Mr Gedneyes &
Jeffry Massyes land, by deed of 4-2-1653.

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ESSEX COUNTY, MASS., PROBATE RECORDS.

(Continued from page 80.)

To John Hathorn of Salem 40^{sh} money, or two acres of land in the Southfield bought of Williard Veren, near the swamp that was Goodman Adams'.

Dated 18-1-167 $\frac{1}{2}$ (but see date at head of will), Witnessed by William Hathorn, Sr., John Hathorne, William Hathorne.

Adm. to eldest son Edward: and order that John Pickering have that parcell of land which was intended him by his father as is declared by Jno. Hathorn; 26-4-1673. Testimony of Wm. Hathorn, aged 27 years, heard Goodman Flint say he intended to give his son Pickering a parcel of land.

Testimony of John Hathorn, æt 31.; asked Flint what he would give his daughters, his answer in general was, he had given them some thing already and intended to lay out a lot of land in the South field for his son Pickering, 27-4. 1673.

William Hathorn doe testifie y^t on y^e 18-1-167 $\frac{1}{2}$, y^t. I was sent for to W^m Flint to heare his will read wth I had much conferance before I asked him why he gave soo little to two of his daughters he told me he had given them some thing already & he would give it to his wife who would doe wel for her daughters, & gt he would doe wel by Thomas his son because he had been an obedient child to him, when it was red to him he told me it was his will, etc. 27-4.-1673.

Edmond Batter, aged about 64 years. 27-4-1673.

Inventory of estate of William Flint, taken 22 April, 1673, by Edmond Batter, Hilliard Veren, Sr. Dwelling house, garden, and orchard, about one acre, £240; 7 acres land in ye field called Goldthits, £80; 6 acres land in Truslers field,

£70; his part ye enclosure made between Jno Pickering & ye deceased containing — about 12 acres, £20; 10 acre lot bought of Oliver Mannering in ye South field; land at Clay brook bought of Mr. Emory; lots of land bought of James Smith, Hilliard Veren; Charles James, John Bridgman, all in South field; total real estate £575. —

Red rug, 30sh; green rug, 20sh; "a cotton rug blanket, bed matt and wod bedstead;" total £911.15. (301.34-37)

Representation of Alice Flint, widow, that ye $\frac{1}{3}$ part of the real estate given her and ye income of the same, . . . yet my son Edward hath improved ye same and converted it to his own use never rendering to me the issues of ye same nor account thereof, but has kept her very meanly, and thought he and Thomas have divided all the real estate with her thirds between themselves, etc. Edward has not taken any care of her maintenance . . . and since September, 1694, ye four daughters being left out have petitioned ye judge for their portions, and since the said Edward has come to ye petitioner and expressed some kindness toward her & invited her to his house to live with him; which did not accept fearing some inconvenience and being too old to support myself removed to my daughter's, A. Pickering, where I want nothing, but has had no supply from ye two sons this winter, and Edward being here in February last I said to him, you owe me £100 for my thirds. He answered "if I do I have no money to pay you." —

On margin "Certificate for Pickering"

"Allice Flints petitions

Allice Flints account

Ens. Flint's account

Copy of the whole record

Copy T Flints appeal

Inventory

Will. —

Citation buy ye 2^d.

1 lease 70 acres. " (9664)

NOTE. — On the reverse is a complaint and petition of John Croade to the Hon. Bartholomew Gidney, Jon^s Corwine and Benjamin Browne, Esq.; that on the 25 day of October, last about 10 of the clock at night following the same day, said Croade being with his family in peaceful possession of his house at the corner near the meeting house in Salem bounded eastward by land of Josiah Wolcott, to the north by land of Joseph Horne, west by the street and south by the street. Then and there came Mrs. Sarah Price, widow of Capt. John Price, Josiah Walcott, Jeremiah Neale, Thomas Beadle and Jn. Leader, all of Salem, the doors and windows being fastened and then other by force and arms (club), and having broken open one of the windows lifted said Sarah Price in by the said window, and after her entered Josiah Walcott who opened the door and let in the others who forced said Croade and his wife and others out of the house and still holds him out.

Petitions for possession and damages:

Citation to Alice Flint and Edward Flint, administrators on estate of William Flintt, Sr., on complaint of Lt. John Pickering; 5 Mar., 1693/4.

Account demanded, 4 Nov., 1695.

Endorsed "I read this citation to my onckle Edward Flint in his house in the presence of Ser^t Peter Osgood . . . and the same day read it to my grandmother Flint. I. P."

Administrators account 11 Nov., 1695, by Edward Flint. (9664).

Petition of widow Alice Flint (her mark) 10 Feb., 1695/6; statement that her husband died intestate, as the will presented to the court was not signed, and that besides the sons Edward and Thomas, my husband had four daughters; viz., Elizb., Margaret, Alice, Hannab, left out; and my husband said when I asked why do you leave me so much trouble, he answered, you need not trouble yourself the will will not stand, and when the will was presented it was with the understanding it should be left to the law to decide; — wants just and equal division of estate.

Certificate of John Croade, registrar, that above Alice Flint had lawfully begotten of her, the said four daughters, etc.

Alice Flint's account, 3 Feb., 1695/6.

Account by Alice Flint and Ensign Edward Flint acknowledged before John Croade, 19 Feb., 1695/6.

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Account by Alice Flint, administratrix, 24 Feb. 1695/6. Cr. £911.15.00: Dr. — Thos. Flint for two and a quarter years service with his father after he was 21 years of age, £40; other items, balance £846.5-7; divided as follows: Alice Flint, widow, £282-1.0; Edw. Flint, eldest son, 161.4; Thos. Flint, Eliz^l. Flint *als.* Woodis in England; Margaret Flint *als.* Goodwin, England; Alice Flint *als.* Pickering; Hannah Flint *als.* Keyzor, each £80.12. (305.134)

See also:

Sept. 30, 1695.	Further time allowed for acct.	
3 Feb., 1695/6.	Adm. render varying acct., further time to agree	} 305.133
10 Feb., 1695/6.	Will disallowed	
17 Feb., 1695/6.	Oath — to Inventory	305.134
24 Feb., 1695/6.	Appeal to Governor and Council	} 305.135
2 March, 1695/6.	Appeal withdrawn	
16 March, 1695/6.	Appeal to Governor and Council and bond filed.	

THOMAS COLDUM. Will dated 10 March, 1673. To cousin Sarah Harte my chest with all my money except "y^t which that sattisfie ye Docter" and other expenses during my sickness, and all my iron ware. Sister Whitney's children all my wearing apparel. "My sister Whitney," a horse and sheep, and all due him in his purchase book, which is £5. Loving mother: honored father. Debts due from Robert Ingols, Sr., Goodman Faroe, Benjamin Chadwell, Richard More, John More, Elias Giles of Salem.

Witnesses, Richard Haven, Sr., Richard X Haven, Jr., who appeared to prove the will 26-4-1673.

Administration to Thomas Coldum and Richard Whittny, who presented inventory. Inventory names bequests to sister Martha Whitney, and her children, Sarah Hart; father Thomas Coldum; mother Johanna Coldum. Allowed 24-4-1673. (301.38.)

(To be continued.)

[NOTE. — The will of the elder Thomas Coldum was filed 21 July 1675. See County Court records, No. 57. June, 1675.]

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THE HIGGINSONS IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

(Continued from page 85.)

From the lists for Salop, of disclaimers to the right to bear arms, in 1664, were Richard Higginson, of Wem, and Thomas Higginson, of North Gate street, Chester.

The evidence of the list of disclaimers would seem to show that the Wem Higginsons were not armigerous. But it is not proof that they could not have proved their right.

Unfortunately at the date of these disclaimers, 1664, the practices of the heralds were not above suspicion. They were very apt to incur the resentment of the persons summoned to prove their claims to coat armor. So strong was the local feeling in some places, that the heralds were presuming upon their position, that in some cases monuments defaced of armorial bearings by the heralds were immediately repaired. The names of persons disclaimed include many who could have proved their right, but who would not. The greater number, however, are of persons who sought to obtain honors to which they had no legal claim. The case to a certain extent was very likely analogous with the position taken by some American families at the present day who insist upon using arms upon traditionary evidence solely. It is also more than probable that in some cases persons were summoned who had never claimed coat armor; the names of the more wealthy persons of a town being taken, perhaps in the hope that rather than be disclaimed they would pray for a grant of arms and so enrich the heralds.

As this record is a century and a half later than the probable date of the separation of the Wem and Berkeswell families, it can have little value in throwing light upon the

origin of the arms in use by the Salem Higginsons at a very early date, and which will be described later.

THE BERKESWELL HIGGINSONS.

Berkeswell was anciently spelled Berghewell. It is now in the diocese of Worcester. It is about six miles west of Coventry and a like distance north-west of Kenilworth.

There is a church there ancient and interesting, but unfortunately the registers do not commence till 1653.

Stoneleigh is about four miles east of Kenilworth and ten miles south-east of Berkeswell.

In October, 1538, Robert Bocher and wife Elizabeth obtain a grant of certain lands in Stonely, and also lands called Cokkeswaste, late in the tenure of John Hykynson. (State papers.) John Higginson, of Berkeswell, in 1518, is said to have been named as executor in the will of a resident of Berkeswell.

JOHN HIGGINSON, of Berkeswell, who made his will 10 Dec., 1540, which was proved 4 February following, was connected with the Wem Higginsons. He had at the time of his death four grandchildren. It is not unlikely, therefore, that he was identical with the John Higginson named above. If so, he presumably was quite an aged man at his death. His date of birth may with reason be assumed to be prior to 1480. Certainly not much later. From his will it appears that he had a brother deceased, who formerly lived in Wem, and who may have been an elder brother. Two of his sons lived in Wem, namely, John and Nicholas. The former was of Cotton. An abstract of his will follows:

John Higison, of Berkeswell, yeoman; will dated 10 Dec., 1540, and proved at Lichfield, February, 1540-1, mentions children and grandchildren given below, together with (grandchildren) Robert and Dorothy Higginson, each £8, and cousin Agnes Higinson who shall receive of Nicholas Higginson, dwelling in the parish of Wem, three kine, as he had received for her from her father thirty-six

shillings. His wife to deliver the kine to Nicholas. Small legacies of equal amount to Agnes Walltan, of Coventry, and Margaret Bamforth. Wife Jane. Sons-in-law, Raufe Olyver and Rolande Radforthe, overseers. Soul of Mistress Burway to be prayed for.

Mr. George Mathew, overseer. Witnessed by Sr. John Fauckner, clerk, Roland Radforth and Thomas Higison. (Cons. Court Coventry and Lichfield.)

Children :

Thomas, witness to his father's will.

John, "dwelling in Cotton in Wem."

Nicholas.

Gregory, unmarried in 1540.

——, probably the wife of "son-in-law" Ralph Oliver,* and mother of Agnes and Robert Oliver.

Margerie, wife of Rowland Radforthe,† and mother of Robert and Thomas Radforth.

Alice

Margaret

Ellen, alias Joys.

Elizabeth

These four latter unmarried.

THOMAS HIGGINSON, of Berkeswell, yeoman, son of the above John, left a will dated 29 Nov., 1573: proved 10 Feb., 1573.

To be buried in the parish church. Three pounds to be lent yearly to the poor in the same manner as my mother gave seven pounds. To daughter Ursula £30: daughter

* There were eleven Oliver estates settled between 1543 and 1602; of these William 1543-4, and Thomas 1558; were of Wem. None of Berkeswell or vicinity.

† The will of Roland Radforth, or Radford, is at Lichfield. Dated 26 Aug., 1553; proved 14 Oct., 1555, by the executrix. He was of Dwething, parish of Berkeswell. To be buried in St. John Baptist, Berkeswell. To eldest son Robert: £10, sons William, Gregore, Thomas each £6-18-4: daughter Annys £13-6-9; to Annys, Elizabeth Margere, Alys, Phyllys, Thomas Casmore; residue to wife Margere, whom executrix. Overseers, son Robert Radford, kinsman William Radford, and William Byssell.

Witnesses, Robert Hynd, Edmond Aygford, William Byssell. Inventory by the witnesses and Robert Latham.

Elizabeth, unmarried, £30; son Robert: son Thomas £5 and six oxen: daughter Dorothy Hanslapp; daughter Joane Benyan; son-in-law Thomas Benyan £20, which he is to repay if he has no children: son George, unmarried, £20; Lawrence Donne: * my men, William Walt, John Raven, Raphe Shower: my maids Margere Barlee, Elizabeth Milton: Dorothy Grey; my married children: brother John Higginson a cloak: brother Nicholas Higginson a jerkin: cousin Allen Higginson horse grass during my lease: Adam Higginson twenty shillings: Thomas Benium son of son-in-law John Benyon £3-6-8; Thomas, son of daughter Hanslapp, £5; Thomas Higginson, son of son Robert, £5: son Robert Higginson executer: John Myles and Thomas Benion overseers; witnesses Allen Higginson, clerk, Leonard Frerleton, Richard Sloughe, Hugh Higginson. (*P. 6. 6. Martyn 10.*)

Children.†

Robert, had son Thomas in 1573.

Dorothy, who, together with her husband, are mentioned in father's will. She married Nicholas Hanslapp of Arnho, co. Northampton, and had Thomas, Robert, and John. See Visitation of Warwick, 1619.

Ursula.

Joyce, wife of Thomas Benyan.

George, living, unmarried, 1573. The following entry occurs on the lay subsidy for Knightlow Hundred, 39-40 Eliz. (1597-8), "Kenilworth, George Higginson, in terr, XI VIII."

(*To be continued.*)

* The Donnes were a Wem family.

† The Visitation of Warwickshire, 1619, and of Northampton, 1618-19, exhibits the pedigree of Wylmer or Wilmore. Robert of Sywell, son of William of Ruyton, died 19 Dec. 1612. His wife was Elizabeth, daughter of *Thomas Higginson* of Berkeswell. Their children were Sir William and Dorothy, wife of Thomas Andrew of Harleston.

Elizabeth, unmarried, £30; son Robert; son Thomas £5 and six sons: daughter Dorothy Hainsbury; daughter Joane Haysen; son-in-law Thomas Haysen £30, which he is to repay if he has no children; son George, unmarried, £30; Lawrence Jones; my man, William Wall, John Haysen, Ralph Brown; my wife Margaret Barber, Elizabeth Milson; Dorothy Gray; my married children: brother John Higginson a clerk; brother Nicholas Higginson a clerk; Anne Allen Higginson house-keeper during my absence; Adam Higginson twenty shillings; Thomas Higginson son of son-in-law John Haysen £5-6; Thomas, son of daughter Haysen, £5; Thomas Higginson, son of son Robert, £5; son Robert Higginson executor; John Haysen and Thomas Haysen executors; witness Anne Higginson, clerk; Leonard Purbeck, Richard Wright, Hugh Higginson. (17th of 8th George 4th.)

(Children.)

Robert and son Thomas in 1678 Dorothy, who together with her husband, are mentioned in father's will, she married Richard Hainsbury of London as Hainsbury, and had Thomas Robert and John. (Visitation of Warwick, 1675.)

Issue.

Issue, wife of Thomas Haysen George, living unmarried, 1678. The following entry occurs on the 1st entry for Richard Hainsbury in the 1678 (1678-9) - Elizabeth, George Higginson, in 1678, XI.

(It is mentioned.)

*The Thomas was a Wren family.
The Visitation of Warwickshire, 1675, and of Hampshire, 1678-19, contain the pedigree of Wren or Wrenne. Robert of Wrenne, knight of Wrenne, was in 1678 the 16th son. His wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Higginson of London. Their children were Sir William and Dorothy, wife of Thomas Ashby of London.

COLSON ON WEYMOUTH RECORDS.

John Colson, d. July 14, 1752.

m. 1st, Susanna.

2^d, Jan. 30, 1733, Deborah Sprague.

Children of John and Susanna :

1. Thomas, b. Jan. 27, 1713.
2. Sarah, b. Feb. 7, 1715.
3. Ebenezer, b. Mch. 14, 1716.
4. Brackley, b. Oct. 2, 1718.
5. Sarah, b. May 9, 1721.
6. Elizabeth, b. Mch. 4, 1723.
7. Ann, b. Jan. 1, 1725.
8. Josiah, b. Jan. 24, 1727.
9. A daughter, b. Mch. 12, 1732.

Children of John and Deborah :

10. John, b. Jan. 27, 1734.
11. Christopher, b. Oct. 2, 1736.
12. Deborah, b. Oct. 13, 1743.

Anne Colson,

m. Ebenezer Shaw, of Abington, son of Joseph of Weymouth, Sept. 2, 1740.

Children of Thomas and Mary :

- Thomas, b. Nov. 12, 1736.
Ebenezer, b. Jan. 13, 1739.
David, b. July 1, 1741.
Bolter, b. Jan. 6, 1744.
Mary, b. Mch. 14, 1746.
Joseph, b. May 11, 1748.
Gideon, b. Aug. 29, 1750.
Susanna, b. July 11, 1755.
Miriam, b. Mch. 12, 1758.

Children of Ebenezer and Hannah :

Hannah, b. Apr. 29, 1740.
Susanna, b. Sept. 3, 1742.
Ann, b. Nov. 29, 1744.
Brackley, b. Apr. 6, 1747.
Sarah, b. Apr. 14 (or 19), 1749.
Emma, b. Oct. 4, 1751.
Brackley, b. Jan. 29, 1754.
Hannah, b. Mch. 28, 1756.
Samuel, b. Sept. 11, 1758.
Ebenezer, b. Feb. 15, 1764.
Hannah, b. Oct. 1, 1767.

Children of Josiah and Leah :

James, b. Dec. 17, 1755.
Sarah, b. Mch. 21, 1757.
Susanna, b. Aug. 11, 1758.
Lydia, b. Feb. 1 (or 11), 1763.

Child of Ebenezer & Vashti :

Vashti, b. Nov. 28, 1764.

Child of Ebenezer & Elizabeth :

Susa, b. Sept. 14, 1770.

Child of Gideon & Elizabeth :

Betsey, b. Aug. 24, 1780.

Children of Thomas & Rachel :

Patty, b. Jan. 24, 1808.
Lydia, b. Oct. 13, 1810.
Thomas, b. Sept. 9, 1813.

Children of Brackley & Clarissa :

Warren, b. June 5, 1817.
William, b. June 18, 1822.

Child of Thomas & Lydia :

Frederick Byron, b. Aug. 1841.

Marriages.

John & Deborah Sprague, Jan. 30, 1733.
Thomas & Mary Bolter, Dec. 4, 1735.

Ebenezer & Hannah White, Apr. 11, 1739.
 Josiah & Leah Beal, Dec. 26, 1754.
 Christopher & Experience White, Apr. 11, 1739.
 Ebenezer, Jr., & Vashti Thayer, of Braintree, published Mch.
 29, 1762.
 Gideon & Elizabeth White, published May 15, 1779.
 Bolter & Sarah Holbrook, June 9, 1785.
 Thomas & Sarah Hawes, Nov. 12, 1807.
 James & Leah Vining, Oct. 24, 1811.
 Brackley & Clarissa Tirrell, June 20, 1816.
 Thomas & Lydia J. Holbrook, Aug. 30, 1837.
 Mary & Jeremiah Beal, Nov. 18, 1729.
 Experience & Capt. Moses Curtis, Dec. 21, 1774.
 Hannah & Simeon Cushing, Oct. 13, 1825.
 Susanna & Richard Eager, *pub.* Oct. 20, 1726. *Richard Ag*
 Miriam & Robert Erskine, Aug. 10, 1786.
 Elizabeth (widow) & Sam^l Hovey, Aug. 6, 1741.
 Mary & Jephthah Hollis, *pub.* Aug. 11, 1764.
 Hannah & Sam^l Humphrey, Jr., Nov. 27, 1788.
 Martha & Noah Joy, July 4, 1824.
 Sally & Constantine Merrill, *pub.* Feb. 7, 1824.
 Martha & Benj. Nash, *pub.* Sept. 8, 1781.
 Lydia & Jacobs Richards, m. Nov. 26, 1793.
 Ann & Ebenezer Shaw, Sept. 2, 1740.
 Deborah & Joseph Trufant, May 14, 1761.
 Susanna & Thos. Tirrell, *pub.* Mch. 23, 1776.
 Mary & Josiah Thayer, *pub.* June 15, 1816.
 Sarah & John Vinson, Jr., m. Sept. 22, 1752.
 Anna & Samuel D. Vining, m. Feb. 14, 1793.
 Amy & Caleb White, m. Nov. 30, 1769.
 Sally & Zenas Weld, m. Feb. 19, 1801.

Deaths.

Mary, widow, Feb. 8, 1716.
 Sarah, dau. John, Mch. 17, 1730.
 Patience, Sept. 22, 1735.
 David, son of Thos. & Mary, Oct. 3, 1751.
 Hannah, dau. Eben. & Hannah, Jan. 5, 1732.
 Ann " " " " " 13, 1732.

Sarah , dau. Eben. & Hannah, Jan. 14, 1732.

Brackley, son " " " " 27, 1732.

John, July 14, 1752.

Susanna, dau. Eben. & Hannah, June 18, 1752.

Hannah " " " " July 7, 1760.

Samuel, son " " " " 12, "

Brackley, son " " " " 19, "

N.B. These children died of "throat ail."

Hannah, dau. Eben. & Hannah, Dec. 21, 1774.

Susanna, dau. Josiah & Leah, Oct. 19, 1783.

Son of Bolton, aged 6 years, Oct. 3, 1795.

Thomas, June 6, 1799.

Mary (widow), Mch. 8, 1800.

Thomas, aged 68, June 26, 1804.

Wife of Josiah, aged 80, May 26, 1809.

Josiah, aged 84, June 30, 1811.

Child of Thomas (age 3 weeks), Feb. 15, 1815.

Rachel, dau. Thomas (age 18 mos), Dec. 31, 1817.

Child of Brackley, Jan. 6, 1819.

Martha, aged 85, relict of Thomas, Mch. 15, 1821.

Thomas, aged 62, Feb. 29, 1824.

Leah, wife of James (age 76), Oct. 13, 1831.

James, aged 80, Dec. 12, 1835.

Child of Brackley, Oct. 15, 1835.

Wife of " July 10, 1836.

Brackley, Sept. 9, 1836.

Can any one furnish the ancestry of John and Susanna Colson, the progenitors of these Weymouth Colsons?

CHAS. LYMAN SHAW.

ASTORIA, L.I., Jan. 26, 1893.

PEDIGREE OF MABEL HARLAKENDEN, arranged by Henry Evans, 46 Cedar street, New York, of whom copies may be had at the price of one dollar. Mabel Harlakenden married Gov. John Haynes. Her ancestry is traced by a complex system of interlacing lines not only to William the Conqueror, but to the early Saxon and Scottish kings. The number of collateral lines shown adds greatly to the value of the chart.

THE IDENTITY OF SYMONDS WHIPPLE.

The name of Symonds Whipple frequently occurs in the various accounts of the Whipple family, but his place in the family has never been clearly defined.

Matthew Whipple, the elder of the two brothers who settled in Ipswich about 1638, had eldest son John (1632-1695). John was a captain in the troop, and deputy to the General Court. In his will he names his son Cyprian (who was born Jan. 17, 1671).

Cyprian Whipple married, Dec. 19, 1695, Dorothy, daughter of William Symonds, and granddaughter of Samuel Symonds. The latter was Deputy-Governor of the Colony during the administration of Leverett.

Their children were as follows :

Cyprian, born 4-10-1697 ; died Feb. 8, 1699.	} Born in Ipswich.
Symonds.	
Samuel, " Sept. 13, 1702.	} Born in Stonington, Conn.
Mary, " July 1, 1708.	
Joseph, " Nov. 26, 1710.	
William, " June 18, 1713.	

About the year 1708 Cyprian removed to Stonington, Conn., and thence to Stow, Mass. No record of the birth of Symonds Whipple has been found. The Ipswich records are very incomplete ; and the building in New London where the county records were stored was consumed by fire during the occupation of that town by the British in the Revolutionary war. Only a portion of the records were rescued.

Jan. 1, 1727, Cyprian Whipple and wife Dorothy give land in Stow to their son Symonds Whipple. (Book 30, page 315, Middlesex Deeds.)

In 1729 Cyprian Whipple, of Stow, deeds his right in the estate of his father, Capt. John Whipple, to Symonds Whipple, of Stow.

Extract from Stonington Church Records :

"Symonds Whipple of Stow, and Elizabeth Mason were married by me, Ebenezer Rossiter, June 19, 1743." (This Elizabeth Mason was the great-granddaughter of Captain, afterward Major, Mason, leader of the Pequot war, and for many years governor of Connecticut and commander-in-chief of the State forces.)

Extract from Stonington Town Records, 1710 :

"The mark belonging to the house of Cyprian Whipple for his cattle, sheep and service is a crop on the left ear and a cut across a part of the underside of each ear. Entered upon record this 21st day of March 1709-10."

"The above said mark is now entered to Symonds Whipple, this 29th day of July, A.D. 1743."

Extract from New London Probate Records :

Will of William Whipple, "(the youngest son of Cyprian) wife Mercy. Children: William, Submit, Mercy, Dorothy, and Martha. Witnessed by

"Samuel Whipple and
"Symonds Whipple."

As the making of this will antedates its probating by a single month, it is probable that William knew that death was at hand. He summoned to his aid his *brothers* Samuel Whipple and Symonds Whipple.

The family Bible of descendants of Symonds Whipple was stolen from an open window, and the thief heeded its counsels so little that it was never returned. It contained vital statistics covering a long period. Symonds Whipple had a son Joshua, who in turn had a son Joshua, who had a daughter Lucy. This Lucy Whipple was married to Jasper Raymond Rand, of Westfield, Mass., and thus became the grandmother of the present writer.

FLORENCE OSGOOD RAND.

QUERY. — Thomas Whipple, of New London, married, Sept. 13, 1773, Catherine Jeffery. He was not a son of Symonds Whipple. Who were his parents?

[NOTE BY EDITOR. — Mr. Charles H. Preston, the author of the Whipple genealogy, which appeared in Vol. II., considers it probable that Symonds Whipple was born between Samuel, 1702, and Mary, 1708.]

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

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Day.	Mo.	
7.	Apr.	Abigail, of Cornelius, Jr. and Abigail (Sallows) Baker.
21.	"	Miriam, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
28.	"	Mary, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
12.	May.	Ebenezer, of Edward and Sarah Bishop.
26.	"	Nathaniel, of John and Hannah Trask.
"	"	Mercy, of George and Jane (Stacy) Standley.
2.	June.	Joanna, of Joseph and Mary (Endicott) Herrick.
23.	"	Joshua, of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Clark.
"	"	Hannah, of Samuel and Hannah (Batchelder) Corn- ing.
28.	July.	Samuel Goodale. (Adult.)
"	"	Hannah, of Thomas and Hannah Cox.
7.	"	Annis (Swetland), wife of Simon Lovett, and daughters — Sarah, Annis, and Hannah.
14.	"	Abigail, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell) Griggs.
25.	Aug.	Rebecca wife of John Standley.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Robert and Anna (Ober) Morgan.
1.	Sept.	Robert, of Robert and Mary (West) Woodberry.
"	"	Abigail, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Dixey) Hayward.
"	"	Mary, of George and Bethia (Lovett) Standley.
8.	"	Lydia, of Benjamin, Sen. and Grace (Mallet) Balsh.
13.	Oct.	Elizabeth, of John and Margaret Grover.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Her- rick.
"	"	Miriam, of John and Sarah (Woodberry) Pool.
3.	Nov.	Caleb, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone) Wallis.
17.	"	Luke, of Luke and Martha (Conant) Perkins.
24.	"	Ruth, daughter of Edward and Mary (Haskell) Dodge.
"	"	Joseph, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach) Herrick.
"	"	Abigail, of Samuel and Elizabeth (Herrick) Stone.
"	"	Annis, of John and Mary (Herrick) Smith.

Day.	Mo.	
8.	Dec.	Hannah, of John and Hannah (Woodberry) Ober.
15.	"	Sarah (Ross), wife of William Hoar.
"	"	Lydia wife of Nehemiah Stone.
"	"	Robert, of Robert and Elizabeth (Herrick) Cue.
22.	"	Tabitha wife of Leonard Slue.
"	"	Edward, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Herrick.
29.	"	John, of John and Sarah Welch.

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5.	Jan.	Samuel, Ebenezer, Mary, and Elizabeth, of Thomas and Mercy Chubb.
2.	Feb.	Sarah, Mary, Abigail, and Rebecca, of William and Sarah (Ross) Hoar.
9.	"	John, Joseph, Dorothy, and Elizabeth, of John and Elizabeth (Rowlinson) Ellingwood.
23.	"	Mary, of John and Mary (Pride) Lovett.
1.	Mar.	Nehemiah, Lydia, and Sarah, of Nehemiah and Lydia Stone.
8.	"	William, of Matthew and Elizabeth (Hooper) Butman.
22.	"	Nathaniel, Ebenezer, and Hannah, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Raymond) Hayward.
5.	Apr.	Rebecca, of John and Bethiah (Mansfield) Conant.
"	"	Jane, of Samuel, Jr. and Abiel (Gaines) Stone.
17.	"	Boanerges, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Raymond.
30.	May.	Joanna and Elizabeth, of James and Emma Taylor.
"	"	Ebenezer, of John and Sarah Welsh.
31.	"	Josiah and Abigail, of Thomas and Bethiah Lovett.
7.	June.	Katharine (Hodge) widow of Benjamin Deland, and her children — Benjamin, George, and Mary.
14.	"	Abigail, of Ralph and Ellen (Lyn) Ellingwood.
21.	"	Joseph, of John and Sarah (Gaines) Creesy.
5.	July.	Martha, of John and Martha Trenance.
12.		William and Elizabeth, of Peter and Abial Yarrington.
19.	"	Rebecca Lucas, "a grown maid."

Day.	Mo.	
26.	July.	Anna (Balsh), widow of Edward Rich.
"	"	Hannah, Abigail, Sarah, and Elizabeth, of Ebenezer and Hannah (Dodge) Woodberry.
2.	Aug.	William, of William and Mary (Woodberry) Conant.
"	"	Roger of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.
9.	"	Nathaniel and Rebecca, of Gabriel and Mercy Wood.
"	"	Mary, of John, Jr. and Wooden.
16.	"	David, of John and Elizabeth (Rowlinson) Ellingwood.
23.	"	Richard, of John and Alice (Derby) Woodberry.
"	"	John, of James and Elizabeth (Hayward) Kettell.
"	"	Benjamin, of Nathaniel, Jr. and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
6.	Sept.	Simon, of Simon and Annis (Swetland) Lovett.
4.	Oct.	Mary, of Richard Thistle. (Adult.)
"	"	Samuel and Mary, of Samuel Lee (of Manchester).
"	"	Joseph, of Edward and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
18.	"	Edward, of Edward and Sarah (Hayward) Coburn. (Salem.)
		James, of James and Martha Wallis.

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17.	Jan.	Peter, of Peter and Abial Yarrington.
14.	Feb.	Elizabeth, of Nathaniel, Jr. and Hannah (Raymond) Hayward.
7.	Mar.	Joshua, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone) Wallis.
"	"	Priscilla, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
21.	"	Robert, of John and Joanna (Hale-Larkin, widow of Joshua Dodge) Thorndike.
"	"	Eunice, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
"	"	Joshua, Mary, Martha, and Elizabeth, of Joshua and Martha (Black) Bacie. (Bisson?)
25.	Apr.	Joseph Harris, Jr. and daughter Elizabeth.
16.	May.	Nicholas, of Robert and Anna (Ober) Morgan.
"	"	Emma, of William and Mary (Parker) Eliot.
30.	"	Edmund, of Abraham and Lydia (Ropes) Gale.
"	"	Mary, of Robert and Mary (West) Woodberry.
"	"	Elisabeth, of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Conant) Raymond.

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Day.	Mo.	
6.	June.	Simon, of Joseph and Kathrine (Sallows) Lovett.
"	"	Joshua, of William and Elizabeth (Stone) Clark.
13.	"	John, of John and Bethia (Woodberry) Batchelder.
"	"	Ebenezer, of Gabriel and Mercy Wood.
11.	July.	William, of William and Joanna (Wheeler) Woodberry.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Dodge) Herrick. (First wife. 2d, Bethia Conant.)
25.	July.	John, of Phillip and Deborah (Mansfield) White.
1.	Aug.	Stephen, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Herrick.
29.	"	Joseph, of John Lee, of Manchester.
"	"	Ruth, of Lamuel Lee, of Manchester.

(To be continued.)

MARRIAGE NOTICES, FOR THE WHOLE UNITED STATES. 1785 — 1794.

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Pilsbury, Thomas. At Leak (Eng.), Mr. T. P., aged 76, to Miss Mary Turnock, aged 21 [taking the fourth wife]. (W. Jan. 2, 1793.)

Pinckney, Brigadier-General. At Charleston (S.C.), the Hon. Brigadier-General Pinckney to Miss Stead. (W. Sept. 6, 1786.)

Pinkham, Susannah, m. Barker Turner.

Pitcher, John. Mr. J. P. to Miss Elizabeth Jordan, both of Andover. (S. Jan. 28, 1792.)

Pittengill, Mrs. Abigail, m. Samuel Smith.

Pixley, Mrs. Abigail, m. James Root.

Plater, Miss, m. Hon. Uriah Forrest.

Platt, Elizabeth, m. David S. Bogart.

Platt, Jennet, m. Abel Foot.

Platt, Col. Richard. At New York, Col. Richard Platt to Miss Sally Aspinwall, of Flushing. (S. Sept. 25, 1790.)

Plumer, Sally, m. Thomas Smith.

- Poe, Simon. In North Carolina, Mr. S. P., aged 84, to Miss Rhoda Marsh, aged 58: The bridegroom has now living 186 children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. (W. Oct. 3, 1792.)
- Polley, Simeon. In this town Mr. S. P. to the agreeable Miss Sally Ridgeway Stutson. (S. Jan. 12, 1788.)
- Pomeroy, Major Samuel W. At Middletown, Major S. W. P., of Cambridge, in this state, to Miss Clarissa Alsop, of Middleton. (S. Sept. 21, 1793.)
- Pond, Prudence, m. Daniel Gealy.
- Pool, Ebenezer. At Hull, Mr. E. P. to Miss Sarah Gould. (W. Oct. 1, 1794.)
- Poole, Elizabeth, m. John Perket.
- Poole, Mary, m. Capt. Jonathan Ingersoll.
- Poole, Nancy, m. Yachel Dorsey.
- Poor, Catharine, m. William Cook.
- Pope, Edward, E.P., of Bedford, Esq., to Mrs. Elizabeth Elliot, widow of the late Mr. Samuel Elliot, and daughter of William Greenleaf, Esq., of this town. (S. June 11, 1785.)
- Pope, Hannah, m. Joseph Balch, Jun.
- Pope, Joshua. [At Salem] At the Friend's Meeting-House, Mr. J. P. to Miss Bethiah Dean. (S. Sep. 3, 1791.)
- Port, Marmaduke. [At Philadelphia] Mr. M. P. to Mrs. Morris, the former 83, the latter 67 years of age. (W. Feb. 13, 1793.)
- Porter, Betsey, m. Nathaniel Gould.
- Porter, Capt. Charles. By the Rev. Mr. Belknap, Capt. C. P. to Miss Betsy Wilkinson. (W. Oct. 5, 1791.)
- Porter, Lucy, m. Ebenezer Blin.
- Porter, Ruth, m. Moses Stone.
- Porter, Thomas. At Alexandria (Virginia), Mr. T. P., formerly of this State, to Miss Sally Ramsay. (W. March 5, 1788.)
- Potter, Anthony. At Concord (N.H.), Mr. A. P. to Miss Dolly Goodwin, of Warner. (S. Nov. 2, 1793.)

Potter, Pardon. At New Bedford, Mr. P. P. to Miss Huldah Nash. (S. Nov. 23, 1793.)

Potter, Polly, m. Gamaliel Bryant, Jun.

Potter, Richard. At Philadelphia, R. P. merchant, to Miss Miercken. (S. Dec. 11, 1790.)

Potter, Sally, m. William Haskins.

Potts, Anna, m. Edward Key.

Powel, Benjamin. At Springfield, Mr. B. P. to Miss Polly Dwight, of Long Meadow. From the first of January last to the 18th of July inst. Mr. Powell has travelled in the publick stages seven thousand three hundred and sixty miles. (W. July 23, 1788.)

Powell, Snelling. In this town, last evening, at the Rev. Mr. Murray's Universal Meeting-house, Mr. S. P. to Miss Betsy Harrison, both of the company of comedians in this town. (W. July 9, 1794.)

A critic, under the name "Spectator," had written on March 8: "Mr. S. Powell will ever please, particularly when he shines under the influence of Miss Harrison, and we must always regret the separation of a pair so congenial, so formed to throw additional lustre upon the accomplishments of each other." Mr. Powell and the critic seem to have been of one mind. The same writer says: "Miss Harrison beggars description: beauty, elegance, sensibility, and genius are her attributes. In adapting, in dressing, in *looking* the CHARACTER, she is a prodigy in whom our wishes are equalled and our expectations excelled."

Powell, William. W. P., Esq., to Mrs. Gardner. (S. Apr. 4, 1789.)

Pratt, Mrs. Abigail, m. Ziba Crane.

Pratt, Rev. Allen. At Marshfield, by the Rev. Elijah Leonard, the Rev. A. P., of Westmorland, to Miss Persis Little, of Marshfield. (W. Feb. 8, 1792.)

Pratt, Cloe, m. Major Jeremiah Conant.

Pratt, Olive, m. John Fenno.

- Pratt, William. At Salem, Mr. W. P., to Miss Mary Williams. (W. Nov. 21, 1792.)
- Pray, Miss, m. Silas Ballou.
- Pray, John. At Great Ogechee, Mr. J. P. to Miss Nancy Mann. (S. Sept. 8, 1792.)
- Pray, John. [At New York] Mr. J. P. to Miss Sally Crone [Crane?] (S. Feb. 2, 1793.)
- Preble, Samuel. At Salem, Mr. S. P., merchant, to Miss Polly Derby. (W. June 15, 1785.)
- Preble, Statira, m. Capt. Richard Codman.
- Precec, Marquiss. At New York, the marquiss P. to Miss Livingston, of Rhinebec. (S. Oct. 19, 1793.)
- Premir, Mrs. Polly, m. John Jutau.
- Prentiss, Rev. Mr. The Rev. Mr. Prentiss, of Medfield, to Miss Mary Scollay, daughter of John Scollay, Esq., of this town. (S. Feb. 14, 1789.)
- Prentiss, Appleton. Last evening, Mr. A. P., merchant, to Miss Silence Conant, a young lady in whom is indeed every amiable qualification. (W. June 15, 1785.)
- Prentiss, Margaret, m. Rev. Timothy Dickerson.
- Prentiss, Margaret, m. Nehemiah Rand.
- Prentiss, Doct. Nathaniel S., at Marlboro', Doct. N. S. P. to Mrs. Abigail Perkins. (S. Nov. 24, 1792.)
- Prentiss, Sally, m. John A. Laurence.
- Prescot, Miss, m. Timothy Bigelow.
- Prescott, James, Jun. At New-Ipswich, Newhampshire, J. P., Jun., Esq., of Westford, Massachusetts, to the agreeable Miss Hannah Champney, daughter of the Hon. Ebenezer Champney, Esq., of that place. (S. Feb. 18, 1792.)
- Prescott, William. At Salem, W. P., Esq., of that town, to Miss Catharine Hicklin. (S. Dec. 28, 1793.)
- Mar. Dec. 18. Parents of William Hickling Prescott.
- Preston, Becca, m. John Hubbard.
- Preston, Remember, Jun. In this town, Mr. R. P., Jun., to Miss Sally Clark. (W. Dec. 4, 1793.)

(To be continued.)

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PRESTON, CONN., RECORDS, OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES,
AND DEATHS.

(Continued from page 96.)

(23)* "This may sartyfy all persons whome it may concern that franses west and marcy minor ware Lawfully joyned in marage the: 20 of Decembar: 1696: by me Samuell mason assist." Marcy b. 30 Oct. 1697.

Jerediah Tracy m. 27 Jan'y 171 $\frac{3}{4}$ Margret Rix, and had Jerediah b. 17 Dec. 1714, Charity b. 23 Dec. 1716, Margret b. 27 Oct. 1718, Sarah b. 23 Sept. 1720, Abigail b. 23 Mch. 172 $\frac{2}{3}$, Thomas b. 3 Sept. 1724, Mary b. 16 July 1726, "Margret ye wife of ye sd Jedidiah Tracy" d. 1 Aug. 1727. Jedidiah Tracy m. 2d 15 Apr. 1728 Marcy Parke, and had Daniell b. 10 Sept. 1730, Benjamin b. 6 Nov. 1739.

Isaac Williams m. 26 Dec. 1727 Dorothy "ffreeman," and had Hannah b. 11 Dec. 1728.

(24) "Thomas Bennet." Thomas, son of Thomas & Ann, b. 16 Sept. 1715, Ebenezer b. 11 Sept. 1718, Ann b. 26 Nov. 1723, Isaiah b. 22 Aug. 1731. John, son of Thomas & Ann, died 20 Nov. 1736.

"Will^m Jones his Children." Mary b. 24 Aug. 1715, William b. 10 May 1718, Amos b. 27 Jan'y 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{2}{3}$, Daniell b. 12 May 1722, Parkes b. 6 Dec. 1724.

Peter Rose m. Elisabeth Fitch 27 Nov. 1735, Josiah b. 23 Jan'y 173 $\frac{6}{7}$, Dan^l b. 21 Feb'y 174 $\frac{1}{2}$, Elisha b. 30 Sept. 1744, Elisabeth b. 13 Feb'y 174 $\frac{6}{7}$, Nathan b. 30 Dec. 1749.

(25) "Larance walton." Larance Walton m. 10 Aug. 1693 Margrat Smith, and had John b. 19 June 1694, Nathanell b. 20 Mch. 1697, "Annah walton born Martch : 1699," Thomas b. — Jan'y 170 $\frac{1}{2}$.

* These references are to old paging.

NOTE.—Quotation marks are used to mark any peculiarities in the record.

William Belcher, son of Will^m Belcher, b. 29 Aug. 1731, d. 7 Feb'y 173 $\frac{1}{2}$.

"Daniell Aply." James, son of Daniell Aply, b. 6 Apr. 1711.

"Benjamin Clarks children." Marcy b. 28 Sept. 1718, Silus b. 18 Dec. 1720, Perry b. 20 June 1723, Mary b. 5 Dec. 1725.

(26) "Joseph Benjamans: mariage." Joseph Benjamin m. 25 Aug. 1698 Elizabeth Coke, and had Obed b. 15 Aug. 1701, Elisabeth b. 11 Nov. 1703, Sarah b. 7 Jan'y 1707, Grace b. 10 Jan'y 1709, Jerediah b. 15 July 1711, Daniell b. 17 Sept. 1714, Abiell (son) b. 16 Dec. 1716.

"John Rea." Abigail Rea b. 3 May, 1726, Elisabeth b. 22 Feb'y 171 $\frac{3}{8}$, John b. 20 Mch. 172 $\frac{3}{8}$. (These Reas have been crossed out later.)

Stephen Kinni m. 29 Jan'y 172 $\frac{3}{8}$ Prissillah Herrick, and had Stephen b. 18 Dec. 1732, Jesse b. b. 25 May 1735, Rosell b. 4 May 1737, Nathaniel b. 26 Apr. 1739, Anna b. 7 June 1741, Diddimus b. 7 Aug. 1743.

(27) "John weltch and henry hodg." Sary Weltch, dau. of John & Sary, b. 15 Nov. 1698.

Deborah, dau. of Henry Hodg, b. 12 Mch. "177 $\frac{3}{8}$," Sarah b. 20 Mch "179 $\frac{1}{10}$," Rachell b. 20 Dec. 1711, Hannah b. 23 May 1713, John b. 12 Sept. 1717.

Zachariah Rude m. 21 Nov. 1727 Dorothy Downin, and had Zachariah b. 21 Sept. 1728, James b. 10 May 1730, "son Zachariah" died 9 Oct. 1733, Elisabeth b. 4 Feb'y 173 $\frac{1}{2}$, Zepheniah b. 9 Jan'y 173 $\frac{3}{4}$, Moses b. 6 Apr. 1736, Dorothy b. 26 June 1738, Lidia b. 2 June 1740, Jason b. 25 May 1744.

(28) "John Ames Jun'." John Ames Jr. m. 1 Dec. 1715 Mary Smith, and had John b. 5 Dec. 1717, hannah b. 17 Sept. 1719, Daniell b. 30 Dec. 1721, Abigall b. 15 Mch. 172 $\frac{3}{4}$, Hew b. 26 Dec. 1726, Mary b. 25 May 1730.

"The age of John Saffords Children." John b. 28 Feb'y 168 $\frac{7}{8}$, Hannah b. 24 Sept. 1691, Sarah b. 25 Dec. 1694, Marcy b. 3 Mch. 1697, Elisabeth b. 24 Jan'y 1700, Mar-

gret b. 24 Apr. 1703, Joseph b. 18 Jan'y 1705, Gideon b. 24 Mch. 1709.

(29) "The Dath of joseph freeman," Joseph Freeman "Dasaced february 2: 168 $\frac{3}{4}$."

Dorothy "wife to Joseph Freem" d. 26 Jan'y 169 $\frac{1}{2}$.

"Israell Standish." Israell Standish m. 8 Feb'y 170 $\frac{3}{4}$ Elizabeth Richards, and had Elizabeth b. 7 Feb'y 170 $\frac{3}{4}$, Miles b. 18 Nov. 1709, Amey b. 14 Mch. 17 $\frac{9}{10}$, Prudence b. 9 May 1711.

"Jeremiah utley ye Reputed Sun of Jeremiah utley of Stonington Begotten of Hepzibah Brumbly" b. 29 May 1721.

Daniel Back b. 15 June 1732, John, son of John and Elisabeth, b. 22 Oct. 1734, Judah b. 10 July 1737, George b. 28 July 1739, Jesse b. 7 Aug. 1742, Elizabeth b. 6 Jan'y 1751.

(30) "John Brown." Nathanell b. 22 Jan'y 1704, John b. 19 July 1706, Elizabeth b. 7 Feb'y 170 $\frac{3}{8}$, Jacob b. 6 July 1711.

"John fford," Judath, dau. of John Ford, b. 12 Apr. 1710, Lidia b. 22 Mch. 171 $\frac{1}{2}$.

"The age of Ebenezer Tylers children." Jacob. b. 30 July 1723, Ebenezer b. 6 June 1725, Nathaneal, son of Ebenezer & Abigal, b. 16 May 1731, Abigal b. 7 July 1734.

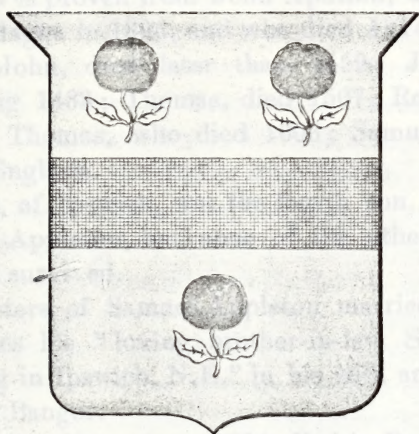
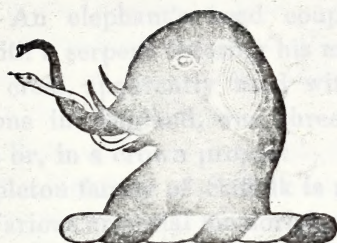
(31) "josiah hains," "josiah hains juner sonn to josiah" b. 8 Jan'y 169 $\frac{3}{8}$, "mica Lambard" b. 18 July 1689. Elizebeth hains b. 7 Mch. 1694, Anna hains b. 3 Nov. 1696, Joshua hains b. 27 Aug. 1701.

John Richards m. 17 June 1707 Abigell Woodward, and had Abigell b. 20 Feb'y 1707/ $\frac{8}{8}$, John b. 1 Sept. 1709, Daniel b. 17 Jan'y 1710, Rebeckah b. 23 Oct. 1712, Perscilla (dau.) b. 8 Oct. 1714, Naomi b. 22 Aug. 1716, Zebbulon b. 9 Sept. 1718, Ruth b. 4 June 1720, d. — Apr. 1721, Sarah b. 20 Jan'y 172 $\frac{3}{4}$; John Richards of Preston died 18 Sept. 1756.

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APPLETON OF SUFFOLK, ENGLAND, AND IPSWICH, MASS.



APPLETON.

APPLETON OF SUFFOLK, ENGLAND, AND IPSWICH, MASS.

Arms. — Argent a fess sable between three apples gules, leaves and stalks vert.

Crest. — An elephant's head couped sable tusked and eared or, with a serpent entering his mouth vert.

Another crest, apparently used with equal authority by the Appletons in England, was, three pine apples vert, the tops purled or, in a crown proper.

The Appleton family of Suffolk is mentioned in the Visitations. Various armorial memorials remain.

Descent is proven from John Apulton, who was of Waldingfield Magna in 1396, and who died 1414. The line runs through John, died later than 1459; John died 1481; John living 1483; Thomas, died 1507; Robert died 1526; William; Thomas, who died 1603; Samuel, the emigrant to New England.

Samuel, of Ipswich, was the fourth son, the eldest being Sir Isaac Appleton, but none of the other sons left male issue who survived.

The sisters of Samuel Appleton married Robert Reyce, who names his "loving brother-in-law Samuel Appleton, now living in Ipswich, N.E." in his will, and Lewis Bayley, Bishop of Bangor.

Samuel Appleton, born 1584, died in Rowley in 1670; his wife was Judith Evered, and by her had sons John and Samuel.

Both of these sons, like their father, were members of the General Court, were military leaders and bitter opponents of Governor Andros.

The family is still represented in Ipswich and elsewhere in Massachusetts.

Through the female lines the Appletons inherit the blood of many of the best old English families. (See "Heraldic Journal" for July, 1865.)

APPLETON OF SUFFOLK, ENGLAND, AND Ipswich, Mass.

There. — A great a few table between three apples, apples,
leaves and shells very.

Over — An elephant's head covered table washed and
served at, with a servant waiting his mouth very.

Another great apartment used with great authority by
the Appletons in England, was, three hundred years, the
table passed on, in a crown proper.

The Appleton family of Suffolk is mentioned in the 17th
century. Various ancestral names are mentioned.

Robert is given from John Appleton, who was of Wilt-
shire, England, in 1580, and who died 1614. The first name
English names in 1580, and who died 1614. The first name
through John, died 1614, John died 1614, John died 1614,
John living 1614, Thomas died 1607, Robert died 1590,
William, Thomas, who died 1600; Samuel, the youngest
to New England.

Samuel of Ipswich, was the fourth son, the eldest son,
the James Appleton, but none of the other sons had names
James who survived.

The eldest of Samuel Appleton married Robert Bacon,
who named his "beloved brother-in-law Samuel Appleton,"
now living in Ipswich, N. H., in his will, and leaves his
property to his son.

Samuel Appleton, born 1614, died in Ipswich in 1670, his
wife was Judith Kewell, and by her husband John and son and
half of them were, like their father, were members of the
General Court, were military leaders and bitter opponents
of Governor Andros.

The family is still represented in Ipswich and elsewhere
in Massachusetts.

Through the female line the Appletons inherit the blood
of many of the best old English families. (See "Heraldic
Journal" for July, 1885.)

EARLY PROBATE RECORDS OF BEDFORD COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Will of JOHN DENNY, 19 Nov., 1754; proved 25 March, 1755. Mentions daughters Anna Henson, Elizabeth Turner, Sarah Hunter; son John; wife. Witnesses, James Dillard, James Doss, Matthew Hinson.

Will of THOMAS BANKS dated 23 Sept., 1754; proved 25 Aug., 1755. Mentions sons Thomas and William; daughters Mary Banks, Molly Banks, Frances Banks, Elizabeth Banks, Jane Banks, Milly Banks. Witnesses, John Quarles, John Oliver, William Crisp.

Will of WILLIAM EDWARDS of Bedford county, dated 26 June, 1756; proved 23 May, 1757. Mentions sons William and John; daughters Mary, Elizabeth, Agnes, Hanna; wife. Witnesses, John Hardman, John Manley, William Manley.

Will of JOHN PRATHER of Bedford county, son of Thomas Prather deceased, late of that part of Prince George county, in Maryland, where is now Frederick county. Dated 15 July, 1756; proved 27 June, 1759. Mentions father-in-law Robert Allen and his wife Joise, my mother, to whom one-third of what is due me from my father's estate; sister Sarah Stone ditto; my mothers two daughters Margaret and Mary Coleman ditto. Witnessed by Stephen, Benjamin and Benjamin, Jr., Clements.

Inventory of JOHN VANCE, 26 Sept., 1757, by John McFerrin, Adam Beard, Charles Ewing.

Will of HENRY CHILES of Bedford, planter. Dated 9 Oct., 1757; proved 24 April, 1758. Mother Ann Chiles of Halifax; brother John Chiles of Prince Edward county, land on north side of Stanton river; sister Ann Ward of Halifax. Executors, John Chiles, John Ward, Ann Chiles.

Will of JAMES BRAMLETT of Russell, county Bedford, dated 14 July, 1758; proved 27 Nov., 1758; wife Winnifred; sister Nancy Bramlet.

Will of MATTHEW TALBOT of Bedford, dated 4 Jan., 1758; proved 27 Nov., 1758. Wife Jane; sons John, Isham, Charles, Mathew, James; daughter Martha Arther; godson Abraham Chandler; Daniel Rains. Bounds on Mr. William McArthur. Witnesses, Robert and Jane Barber, Elizabeth Dalton.

Estate of JOHN MEAD, 1758. Creditors, Richard Kannon, John Thompson, Joseph Richardson, William Morgan, William Reed, Christopher Choate Montgomery, William Bumpas, Thomas Nash, Robert Reed, John Turner, William Irvine, James Bovit, Paul Carrington, William Thompson, Stephen English, Peter Holland, John Richardson, William Callaway, Mathew Talbot.

Inventory, 19 Aug., 1754, by Henry Haynes, John Richardson, Stephen English.

Will of WILLIAM ROGERS of Bedford; proved 26 March, 1759. Wife; sons George, William Clement, David, Jonas Lawson a tenant on Stanton river. Witnesses, Robert, Edward, and Elizabeth Shipley.

Will of JEREMIAH YARBOROUGH, dated 15 Sept., 1758; proved 26 March, 1759. Wife Hannah all property for ten years; sons Charles and John; daughter Mille; 440 acres on Stanton river. Witnesses, Robert Barber, Hugh Crockett, Henry Smith.

Inventory of WILLIAM HALL, 27 Dec., 1758, by Augustine Leftwich, William Verdeman, John Wheler.

Inventory of WILLIAM HOOPER, 26 Aug., 1760.

Will of JOHN ANTHONY of Bedford county, dated 12 March, 1760; proved 24 Nov., 1760. Wife Elizabeth; son John; daughters Lucy Jones, Elizabeth Irvine, Sarah Talbot. Witnesses, John Snow, Henry Snow, Jr., Robert Baber.

Will of WILLIAM BOYD of Flatt Creek, county Bedford, dated 18 Oct., 1760; proved 23 March, 1761. Wife Elizabeth; minor children, John, James, Robert, Francis, Joseph, Lettice, Elizabeth, Rhida, Ann, Martha.

Will of WILLIAM McCORMICK, late of Bucks county, now of Bedford county, dated 1 July, 1775; proved 23 Oct., 1779. Wife Agnes; children John, David, William, Lucy, Jane, Nancy; wife and William Adams executors.

Will of JOHN BRANDER of Bedford county, dated 27 March, 1777; proved 28 July, 1778. Executors, nephew John Brander, John Fitzpatrick, William Austin, Sr., nephews James and Andrew Shaws of county Elgin in North Britain, each, £100; Elspith, daughter of sister Margaret, £50; nephew William Carmichael, £50; nephew Alexander Shaw of Edinburg, £50; sister Margery Brander.

Will of SARAH OGLESBY, Sr., of Russells, dated 9 Nov., 1779; proved 26 June, 1780. To brother Richard all my interest in estate of Thomas Oglesby, Sr., after his decease; brother Thomas Oglesby, Jr., 180 acres which I had of him.

Will of JESSE MOON, dated 24 Sept., 1780; proved 23 Oct., 1780. Father Jacob; brother William; Jacob Moon, Jr., a witness.

THE ENGLISH ANCESTRY OF THE FAMILIES OF BATT AND BILEY, by J. Henry Lea, Boston, 1897. Reprinted from the "New England Historical Genealogical Register." Mr. Lea is favorably known from his researches in England. The abstracts of records printed illustrate the ancestry of Henry Byley, of Newbury and Salisbury, and of Christopher Batt through the Bileys, for two generations in England. The ancestry of Nicholas Batt, of Newbury, is derived from John, a bastard son of Richard Batt, who died 1558. These researches prove that Nicholas and Christopher Batt, of Newbury, were not brothers, nor even near relatives.

ABSTRACTS FROM ESSEX DEEDS.

(Continued from page 112.)

(18) 10-1-1653.

Nicholas Davison, of Charlston, merchant, and attorney unto Capt. John Andrewes, of London, merchant, as appeareth by a letter of attorney, dated 3 May, 1652, to receive of William Norton of Ipswich, N.E., £160, and, having informed myself of Norton's estate, have thought it the best advantage of said Andrewes to take such security as he by himself and friends presented, for a full discharge of said debt: viz., by Thomas Hawkins, baker to pay on mackerell September, next, twenty pounds, and in flour and bisquit seventy pounds; by George Ingersoll in fish and mackerell 19^{li}, by James Oliver in 7^{ber} in beef 13^{li}: by Edward Guilam in boards 12^{li}: and by Robert Gutch of Salem in fish [43] 26^{li}. In which consideration and also considering his low estate do acquit and discharge said Norton of said sum of £160. Dated 7 June, 1653. Witnessed by John Dudley, Thomas Hawkins.

27-4-1653.

Raph Elwood, of Salem, planter, hath sold unto
Salem. Francis Skerry of Salem, malster, for 20 shillings,
one acre in Salem near Ipswich ferry, by deed 22
June, 1653.

27-4-1653.

Daniel King of Lynn hath, for 12^{li}, sold unto
Lynn. Timothy Cooper one house with 2 acres adjoining,
and three acres more or less in Lynn, by deed of
12-12-1652.

(19)

29-4-1653.

Lynn. William Dodge and Henry Bartholomew, agents
for Mr George Taylor, late inhabiting in Lynn,
have sold unto Richard Johnson a house and barn
with the land adjoining, and four [43] acres of salt marsh on
the east side of town marsh, by deed 18-1-1652.

23-4-1653.

Salem. Richard Prince, of Salem, tailor, hath sold to
Arthur Kipping, fisherman, his late dwelling
house, with half acre of land between Adam West-
gate and Thomas Jegles, for 27^u, as by deed 23-June, 1653.

24-4-1653.

Salem. William Allen, of Manchester, carpenter, hath
sold unto John Bridgeman, of Salem, his late
dwelling house, with half an acre adjoining, in
Salem, and six acres in the South field, for 14^u, by deed
9-4-1652.

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27-4-1653.

Salem. William Venis, of Salem, hath sold unto John
Millar, for 45^u, his late dwelling house, with half
an acre of land adjoining, with the shop and cellar
thereunto belonging, near the Windmill field in Salem, by
deed of 16-12-1652.

1-5-1653.

Salem. Joseph Gardner, of Salem, for fifteen pounds,
hath sold unto John Putnam eighteen acres of
meadow near Ipswich river, as by deed dated the day and
year last above written.

4-5-1653.

Edmond Farrington hath sold unto Joseph Pope
 and Samuel Eborne two hundred acres of upland
 and meadow within the bounds of Lynn, and ten
 acres of meadow in the great meadow about half a mile from
 the 200 acres, as by deed dated as above.

22-5-1653.

Job Hilliard, of Salem, fisherman, hath sold to
 Isake Esty, of Salem, cooper, one house and land
 adjoining, being nearly half an acre, for 20^{li}, to
 be paid as follows, 6^{li} on 15th 8^{ber} next, in cod fish or caske,
 8^{li} ye 15th of 8^{ber} 1654, in fish or mackerell, 6^{li} ye 15th, 8^{ber},
 1655, in fish or mackerell, or Job to have the house and land
 again, as by deed dated 19-5-1653.

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AMERICAN ANCESTRAL CHART, INCLUDING DATES OF LEAD-
 ING EVENTS OF A BRANCH OF THE FAMILY OF REV. JOHN
 MOORE OF NEWTON, R.I., which settled in Pennsylvania.
 By J. W. Moore, of Easton, Pa. Price, \$1.

This chart is arranged in a form showing considerable
 ingenuity, and shows the connecting families of Betts,
 Boyse, Herrick, Jessup, Lawrence, Prudden, Reed, and
 others, a score in all.

HOWLETT-FRENCH-GRANT-HAZEN. — Wanted, date of b., m.,
 and d. of wife of Thos., son of S'g't Thos. Howlet, who was one
 of the first settlers at Ipswich, Mass. When did Thos., Jr., die?
 When born? Date of birth of his dau. Mary?

Thos. Grant and wife Jane had dau. Hannah, who m. Edw.
 Hazen, of Rowley, 1650. They had son Thos. Wanted, dates,
 early history, colonial service, etc., of these Hazens and Grants.

Who were the parents of Alice French who m. S'g't Thos.
 Howlett?

A. I. H.

ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

(Continued from page 109.)

86. Rebecca³ Pabodie (William,² Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 29, 1704, and died in Fairfield, Conn., Oct. 27, 1783. She married Dec. 6, 1732 (I am not sure of this date), Rev. Joseph Fish, son of Thomas and Margaret (Woodworth) Fish, of Duxbury. He was born (Winsor) Jan. 28, 1706. Harvard College, 1728. He was called to the church in Stonington, North Parish, and ordained Dec. 27, 1732. He remained with this charge till his death, May 22, 1781. He received urgent calls in 1750-51 to the church in Little Compton and also to the Newport church. In the account of Rev. Joseph Fish, in Sprague's "Annals of the American Pulpit," Vol. I., page 363, he is thus described :

"His manners were those of a Christian gentleman ; affability and kindness were combined with the dignified suavity of a spiritual guide and teacher. He enjoyed the best advantages for education, and he appears to have profited by them, as his writing exhibited a vigorous and cultivated mind." Some children died young ; these names I have not got. The account says both parents were anxious to give to their two daughters, who were their only surviving children, the best education attainable at those times.

Children probably born in North Stonington :

455. Mary⁴ Fish.

456. Rebecca Fish.

87. Priscilla³ Pabodie (William,² Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 4, 1706. Intention of marriage was published, to Gideon Southworth, son of William and

Martha (Kirkland) Southworth, Jan. 13, 1727. No marriage followed. He married, 1728, Mary Wilbour. Priscilla was published to William Wilcox, of Tiverton, Sept. 22, 1733, and married Oct. 14, 1733. I think he must be the William Wilcox born in Tiverton Dec. 26, 1706, son of Edward and Sarah (Manchester) Wilcox. Where he or his wife died I do not know. I do not feel sure that the family given below comprises all the children.

Children from Little Compton church and town records :

- 456. William ⁴ Wilcox, born June 24, 1734; baptized June 30, 1734. Died young.
- 457. Mary Wilcox, baptized March 15, 1735.
- 458. William Wilcox, born Jan. 24, 1735.
- 459. Deborah Wilcox, baptized Aug. 30, 1740. Priscilla Wilcox was dismissed to Tiverton church, 1746.

88. Judith ³ Pabodie (William,² Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, Jan. 23, 1708. I do not know where she died. She married, by Richard Billings, Justice, Benjamin Church, May 21, 1732. He was son of John ³ Church (Joseph,² Richard) and Rebecca his wife, and born in Little Compton, Jan. 13, 1702.

Children on Little Compton records :

- 460. Rebecca ⁴ Church, born Oct. 18, 1733.
- 461. Andrace Church, born Dec. 14, 1734.
- 462. Rhoda Church, born Dec. 14, 1738.
- 463. Ephraim Church, born Nov. 29, 1742.

89. Joseph ³ Pabodie (William,² Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, July 26, 1710; died April 7, 1790, in Canaan, N.Y., afterwards called New Lebanon, and was buried there. He was married in Little Compton, by the Rev. Richard Billings, Justice, to Elizabeth Briggs, Dec. 23, 1733. She was daughter of William Briggs and Deborah ³ Church (Joseph,² Richard¹), born in Little Compton, Oct. 10, 1714, and died in New Lebanon, N.Y., Sept. 4, 1774. "He moved from Little Compton shortly after 1745,

to Norwich, Conn., and from there, about 1773, to Canaan, N.Y.

Children, born in Little Compton :

- 464. Nathaniel ⁴ Pabodie, born June 7, 1734.
 - 465. Parker Pabodie, born Nov. 6, 1735.
 - 466. Mary Pabodie, born June 8, 1737; died Feb. 22, 1769.
 - 467. Rebecca Pabodie, born May 9, 1739; died July 7, 1765.
 - 468. Isaac Pabodie, born Dec. 19, 1740.
 - 469. Aaron Pabodie, born May 9, 1742.
 - 470. Benjamin Pabodie, born April 9, 1744.
 - 471. Elizabeth Pabodie, born Nov. 16, 1745.
- Born in Norwich.
- 472. Joseph Pabodie, born May 15, 1747.
 - 473. Priscilla Pabodie, born Feb. 2, 1754.

90. Mary Pabodie ³ Pabodie (William, ² Eliz. ¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, April 4, 1712; married by Rev. Richard Billings to Nathaniel Fish, brother to Rev. Joseph Fish, son of Thomas and Margaret (Woodworth) Fish, Nov. 28, 1736. He was born April 11, 1713. They went to Stonington to live.

Children, from Stonington records :

- 474. Miller ⁴ Fish, born Oct. 9, 1737.
- 475. William Fish, born April 26, 1739.
- 476. Elikan Fish, born Feb. 2, 1741.
- 477. Joseph Fish, born March 25, 1742.
- 478. Nathaniel Fish, born Feb. 6, 1744.
- 479. Lydia Fish, born March 3, 1746.
- 480. Mary Fish, ⁵ born March 5, 1748.

91. Benjamin ³ Pabodie (William, ² Elizabeth ¹ Alden). Born Nov. 25, 1717, by second wife, Elizabeth. He went to Newport to live and married there, by Rev. James Sear- ing, Aug. 7, 1745, to Abigail Lyon. He died, 1792, in Newport. Spoken of as Deacon Benjamin Pabodie in the Probate Records. He left no will, but his wife Abigail was made administratrix on his estate. Only one child is entered

on the town records, and we have no means of knowing, at present, whether he had more.

Children :

481. Elizabeth Pabodie, born Oct. 2, 1746.

481a. Abigail Pabodie (Dr. Selim Peabody).

A Benjamin Peabody dies in Newport in 1794, but I cannot place him. He probably belongs to another family of Peabodys there from the earliest days. See Austin's Genealogical Dictionary.

WILL OF DANIEL GRINNELL.

"In the name of God, Amen, this Day of November, A.D. 1726. I, Daniel Grinnell, of Saybrook in the County of New London and Colony of Connecticut in New England, being advanced in years, and under bodily weaknesses and infirmities, but through the goodness of Almighty God of sound mind and memory, and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed to all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say, principally, first of all, I give and recommend my soul in to the hands of God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth, to be buried in decent Christian manner at the discretion of my executors, nothing doubting but at the resurrection, I shall receive the same again by the mighty powers of God, and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life, I give, devise, and dispose of the same in the following manner and form, my just debts and funeral charges being first paid out of my personal estate :

"*Imprimis.* — I give and bequeath to Lydia, my dearly beloved wife, the use and improvement, income, profits, and advantages of all my personal estate, during the time that she shall remain my widow.

"*Item.* — I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Lay such a sum out of my estate, which, together with what she

has received, and shall receive before my decease, will make up the sum of thirty pounds in value.

"*Item.* — I give and bequeath to my daughter Priscilla Redfield the same.

"*Item.* — I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Stevens the same.

"*Item.* — I give and bequeath to the children of my daughter Lydia Clark deceased such a sum out of my estate, which with what she, the said Lydia, received in her lifetime, will make up the value of thirty pounds value.

"*Item.* — I give to my daughter Rebecca Donde the same, thirty pounds.

"*Item.* — I give to my daughter Sarah Brooker the same, thirty pounds.

"*Item.* — I give to my daughter Jemima Chalker the same.

"*Item.* — I give to my beforenamed daughters, besides what I have before given them, I give and bequeath to each of them severally one seventh part of all my household goods, after the decease of my beloved wife Lydia, and the other seventh part of my said household goods I give and bequeath to the children of the aforesaid daughter Lydia over and above what I have already given them, and after the decease of my aforesaid wife.

"*Item.* — I give and bequeath to my two sons, Peabody and George, after the decease or second marriage of their mother, my aforesaid beloved wife, all my horses, cattle, sheep, or swine, together with all my husbandry utensils and implements to be equally divided between them, my said sons, all which estate named in this paragraph of this my will. I give to them as aforesaid upon conditions that they pay the aforesaid legacies herein particularly given to each one of their sisters, and to the heirs of Lydia Clark, deceased, and in failure thereof, viz of ye payment of said legacies as aforesaid, my will is that each and every one of my aforesaid legatees, said daughters and the heirs of said

Lydia Clark, shall have their several legacies levied out of the estate in this paragraph mentioned. And I do thereby constitute, and ordain and appoint my dearly beloved wife Lydia, and my two sons Peabody and George, to be the executrix and executors of this my last will and testament, and I do hereby disallow, revoke, and disannul all former wills, testaments, and bequests by me made, ratifying, allowing, and confirming this, and this only as my last will and testament. In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and year aforesaid, Daniel Grinnell signed, sealed, and published, and declared by said Daniel Grinnell, as his last will and testament in presence of us, Samuel Jones, Samuel Willard."

Mr. Edwin A. Hill sends the following: "1702, Sept. 2, Thomas Avery sells to Daniel Grenhill land at Saybrook, West parish (Westbrook), being 200 acres more or less at Pochaug 'south bound sea.'" (Land Records, Vol. 2, page 90.) On September 6th following he sold his lands at Little Compton, 50 acres, to his brother Richard. Daniel Grinnell died Jan. 7, 1740-41.

92. Peabody³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born, probably, in Little Compton, about 1686-7. Died, probably, in Saybrook or Westbrook. Married (Saybrook town records) 8th day of April, 1718, Ruth Nettleton. He married, second (Saybrook records), 20 March, 1733, Sarah Barnes. October, 1738, Pabodie Grinnell was among those claiming the rights of the Lord's table. (Church records.)

Children, by first wife, all born in Stonington: ?

482. Daniel⁴ Grinnell, born Feb. 8; 1719. He was born with his right ear cropped off, hollowing; died May 7, 1727.

483. Ruth Grinnell, born Feb. 8, 1722; died Oct. 9, 1732.

484. Lydia Grinnell, born Aug. 28, 1723.

- By second wife :

93. George³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born, probably, in Little Compton about 1683. Married Mary Bull. From church records.

George Grinnell and Mary Grinnell, admitted to the church, also claimed a right to the Lord's table. Among the names on a catalogue of the members of the church living and remaining when Rev. John Devotion was ordained minister, Oct. 26, 1757, were George Grinnell and Mary Grinnell.

Children :

495. William⁴ Grinnell, baptized April 20 or 29, 1731.
496. Daniel Grinnell, baptized April 20 or 29, 1731.

Among baptisms by Mr. Worthington at organization of
Westbrook Church:

497. Mary Grinnell, of George and Mary, Dec. 26, 1731.
498. Anne Grinnell, of George and Mary, baptized Jan. 23,
1734.

499. Phebe Grinnell, of George and Mary, baptized July 25, 1736.

500. Rebeckah Grinnell, of George and Mary, baptized Oct. 7, 1738.

94. Mary Grinnell³ (Lydia Pabodie,² Eliz.¹ Alden). Born 1684-5, probably in Little Compton. Died in Westbrook, June 9, 1755, in the seventy-first year of her age (gravestone). She married Dec. 12 or 21, 1703, Robert Lay, son of Robert Lay. He was born Jan. 27, 1680, and died July 1, 1738. His will dated 23 June, 1738, witnessed by William Worthington, John Doude, and Nathaniel Post, speaks of the above children and beloved wife. Probated July 26, 1738, by Mary Lay and Christopher Lay. (Guilford Records, Vol. 3, page 307.)

Children born in Westbrook :

501. Robert Lay.⁴

502. Christopher Lay.

503. Daniel Lay.

504. Jeremiah Lay.

505. Jonathan Lay.

506. John Lay.

507. Lydia Lay.

508. Phebe Lay.

95. Priscilla³ Grinnell (Lydia Pabodie,² Eliz.¹ Alden). Born about 1690, probably in Little Compton; "the second daughter and fourth child." Died Jan. 12, 1770; buried in Clinton (old Killingworth), Conn., in her eighty-first year. On the 24th December, 1706, Mr. Theophilus Redfield married Priscilla Grinnell "then aged seventeen years, daughter of Daniel and Lydia Grinnell, who three years ago had settled in that part of Saybrook, then called Pochaug (now Westbrook.)" Theophilus Redfield lived and died in old Killingworth. He is buried near Chestnut Hill.

Children born in old Killingworth :

509. Daniel Redfield,⁴ born Sept. 22, 1707.

- 510. Elizabeth Redfield, born May 8, 1709.
- 511. Richard Redfield, born June 18, 1711.
- 512. Ebenezer Redfield, born Dec. 3, 1713.
- 513. Lydia Redfield, born Feb. 9, 1715-6.
- 514. Theophilus Redfield, born Sept. 6, 1718.
- 515. Priscilla Redfield, born July 20, 1720.
- 516. Peleg Redfield, born April 2, 1723.
- 517. George Redfield, born Nov. 7, 1725.
- 518. William Redfield, born Dec. 5, 1727.
- 519. Josiah Redfield, born Sept. 6, 1730.
- 520. Jane Redfield, born June 24, 1733.
- 521. James Redfield, born March 29, 1735.

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ESSEX COUNTY, MASS., PROBATE RECORDS.

(Continued from page 116.)

PHINEAS FISKE. Last will, etc., sick, etc.; to son James Fisk one half my house and lands; the other half to my sons John and Thomas. Chattels to be equally divided between my three sons, except a great bible which to nephew Samuel Fisk, and small leagacy to Marah Fiske. Sons John and Thomas, executors.

Phineas X Fisk.

Witnessed by Samuel Fiske, Hanna X Walden. Proved 26-4-1673.

Inventory, allowed 26-4-1673, gives date of death of testator as 7-2-1673.

Debt due John Fisk. Appraisers Richard Hutten and Mark Batcheler (301.39).

ROBERT MORGAN, of Beverly. Will dated 14 Oct., 1672. To wife Margrett, all lands, house, cattle, etc., for life, but any of the children may have their share laid out and build upon the same. Son Samuel twelve acres in Manchester which my wife's father Norman gave her, in ye great plain,

and eight acres I had of the Town at Long Hill; son Benjamin a mare; son Robert a mare; daughter Bethia a mare; son Samuel five acres adjoining the house lying from ye highway to ye water side next land of Thomas Rodses; son Joseph four acres adjoining Samuel; son Benjamin three acres adjoining Joseph, to take in as much of the west end of the house he was at a charge to build. Orchard to be divided between Joseph and Benjamin.

To wife and daughter Bethia and to the longest liver, the rest of my house, with land adjoining abutting on Mr. Hale's land. Should any of the sons die before their mother their shares shall descend to their heirs.

Son Samuel executor, Ensign Corneing and John Stone, overseers.

Robert X Morgan.

Witnessed by William Reves, John X Trask. Proved 24-4-1673.

Inventory, 10 Dec. 1672, by John Gally and Thomas Pigton. Browes 20 acres land, and a total of £219.14.00. (301.40.)

Citation to executor, Samuel Morgan, 14 Nov., 1694; issued on petition of Samuel Weed, of Amesbury, dated 14 Nov., 1694, that the wife and three sons being dead without issue, and your petitioner having married the only daughter; Bethia demands a settlement by terms of the will. (18.746.)

JOHN GILLOW, of Lynn. Will dated 20 Feb., 1672. To wife all my part of houses all goods and cattle, etc., for the bringing up of children till of age. She executrix.

Son John, when of age, all housing and land which is that half that my mother gave me, of my father's estate. He to pay sisters Mary, Jenny, Sarah, their portions. If child wife is now with be a daughter, to share with the other daughters, if a son, then my eldest son to have a double portion and remainder of estate to be equally divided between my children.

Mentions estate which may come from father and mother, living, etc.

Friends Robert Burges, Thomas Newhall, Robert Potter, overseers (who appear as witnesses). Will proved, 24-4-1673.

Inventory presented 27-4-1673, by relict Sara, taken 19-1-1672-3, by John Fuller and Richard Moore, dwelling house and 30 acres, six acres meadow at the bridge, 20 acres marsh and meadow, orchard, etc., total £346.11.00. The widow deposed one end of house and land was her husband's, the other being her husband's father's. (301.41.)

ELIZABETH MANSFIELD, of Lynn. Will dated 20-2-1667. Son Joseph Mansfield, housing and lands and three acres my husband bought of John Deacon, which lyeth in the neck by John Ramsdell's, and all the meadow that was my husbands.

Daughter Elizabeth Tomson; grandchild Elizabeth Mansfield; grandchild Deborah Mansfield, my son Joseph's daughter; grandchildren John and Joseph Mansfield.

Son Joseph to have the grass on the marsh which my husband did give to son Andrew Mansfield, six months after the decease of my husband and myself. Son Joseph executor, Mr. Thomas Loughton and Capt. Thomas Marshall to be overseers.

Witnessed by Nathaniel Kertland, Samuel Hart.

Will proved 26-9-1673.

Inventory presented by Joseph Mansfeild, 26-9-1673, taken by Nathaniel Kertland and Henry Roades. Elizabeth Mansfeild aged about 87 years, died about the 6 Sept., 1673. Total £184-18-00. (301.42.)

BRIDGET WINDOW. Inventory by Mr. Samuel Wosester and John Tenny, appraised 9-8 mo, 1673. Total £26.01.00; debt due Nicholas Walinton.

Deposition of Samuel Worcester and Elizabeth his wife. Two or three days before the widow Window died heard her

express her will that her son-in-law Nicholas Wallington, and his son John, and his daughter Sara Wallington. Her son James Travis, 25 Nov., 1673, before Nathaniel Saltonstall.

Administration to Nicholas Wallingford and James Travis, 26-9-1673. (301.43.)

JOSIAH WALTON. "We whose names are underwritten, being present with Josiah Walton when he was brought in first from sea, after his wound by the litening, on June 23, 1673, affirm and declare, that upon the companies motion to the said Josiah Walton, that he would settle his estate, the said Josiah Walton being of perfect memory, and apprehensive of his dissolution, did declare, that his will was that his brother Nathaniel Walton and his sister Martha Monjoy should have his gray horse. . . . his other estate to his mother Walton for her use during life, then to be divided between his brothers, Nathaniel and Samuel Walton and his three sisters, Martha Munjoy, Elizabeth Conant, and Mary Bartlett. Land to be kept in the Walton name." Signed by Samuel Cheever, Moses Maverick, James Dennis. In court, 27-9-1673.

Administration to widow Elizb. Walton, 27-9-1673.

Inventory, taken 4-9-1673, by Samuel Ward and James Dennis.

Debts due from Robert Bartoll, John Furbush, Nicholas Merrett, John Petherick, Richard Clatery, Joseph Daliver, Mr. William Brown, Sr., Mr. Fitch of Boston, Mr. Wm. Brown, Jr., for his fishing voyage, Capt. Smith. A grantant and other instrumentants. (301.44.)

JOHN BALDIN. Inventory by Nathaniel Pickman and Francis Collings; £78, includes dwelling house and land. Total.

Administration to relict, Arabella, 28-9-1673. (301.45.)

NICHOLAS PATCH, of Beverly. Inventory and division

between his two sons, John and Thomas Patch by mutual agreement.

John Patch four acres meadow by the Dodges farm, two acres by Longham, one acre joining Capt. Lothroppe, by Samuel Cornings farm, also four acres the house and land, with the orchard, except an acre which Thomas Patch has for himself and children to make use of as they or he shall see cause but not to sell away from his brother. John Patch to allow his brother for improvements.

Thomas Patch, forty acres upland and four of meadow one cow, three young cattle. The house hold stuff to be equally divided. (301.45.)

John and Thomas Patch are appointed joint administrators and to dispose of the estate according to above agreement, etc., 27-9-1673.

301.46. At a county Court held the 30-4-674.

RALPH ELENWOOD, of Beverly. Will dated 7 Jan., 1673. Wife Hellen executrix; and to bring up my children.

Son Ralph my lawful heir after his mother's decease, and when 21 he is to have the ten acres which was formerly old Robert Moulton's lott. Ralph is to pay our other four sons, viz. John, Joseph, Benjamin, David, and our two daughters, Mary and Elizabeth, an equal portion but Ralph is to have a double portion, as each comes to age. Wife to enjoy her thirds during life this to be equally divided between the children. Witnesses, Thomas Pickton, and his wife Ann.

Proved 3-5-1674. by the witnesses.

Inventory taken 30 Jan., 1673, by Henry Skerry, Sr., Thomas Rootes, John Massey. Total, £352.12.02.

Real estate mentioned is Moulton lot with the building, orchard, mowing ground, etc., £135: ploughable land and pastures, and part of orchard, £130: two acres salt marsh.

Ellenor the relict. Presented 3-5-1674 (301.46).

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THE HIGGINSONS IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

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ROBERT HIGGINSON, of Solihull, Co. Warwick, Gentleman, made his will, 7 December, 1610. He gave to the poor of Solihull 40 shillings; to christian Barker's children and Ann Randall's children, a ewe and lamb each; to my daughter Isabel Guerton's children and to my son Thomas, his children, the same; my son Thomas Higginson: to Thomas Higginson, my grandchilde, plate, etc.; "I did owe to my son Thomas Elliott xx^{li} v^s —" "his three children which he had by my daughter Alice, viz., Sara and his sonnes when out of apprenticeship;" Rest to Ioane my wife whom executrix; "I have received the x^{li} which my son Guerton had for Sara — for use of Sara Elliott till of age."

Inventory, 27 April, 1614, by Valentine Overton, John Horne, Tho^s Tandy, and Thomas Higginson.

Proved, at Lichfield, 10 May, 1614.

Christopher Randell and wife Anne *vs.* Robert Higginson and wife Johan. Claim under a will, of divers messuages in Solihull and Knowle, and house and land in Langdon End, in Knowle, late the estate of Richard Walker, father of the plaintiff Anne. (Rr. I. Chancery Suits. Elizabeth.)

1579. Margaret Sadler, widow, and executrix *vs.* Robert Higginson and wife Joan, to compel a grant of a lease, according to agreement, of a tenement and orchard, etc., in Shepe Street in Stratford-upon-Avon. (Chancery Suits.)

The above Robert is evidently the son of Thomas Higginson of Berkeswell. Solihull is close by Berkeswell and about ten miles west of Coventry. The Parish register dates from 1538.

Children :

Thomas, survived his father; only son named in the latter's will. He had son Thomas and probably Robert. The estate of Thomas Higginson the elder, of Berkeswell, tanner, was administered upon by grant to the relict Margery, 31 Oct., 1666. Sureties, Robert Higginson, a son, of Berkeswell, yeoman, and Abraham Mantell, of Coleshull, co. Warwick, yeoman. Inventory, 30 Oct., 1616, by Richard Etherington, Richard Bishop, Henry Twyste, Thomas Laute.

Isabel, m. Guerton.

Alice, m. Thomas Elliott.

Tripartite agreement between Right Hon. Robert, Lord Spencer, Baron of Wormleighton, co. Warwick, Sir Wm. Monsen of North Carlton, and Dame Dorothy his wife, Anthony Monson of Fisleton, co. Lincoln, Esq., Walter Smith, of Allesley *als.* Awsley, co. Warwick, gent., Thomas Smyth, of Wansley, *als.* Only, Northamptonshire, yeoman, and Elizabeth his wife, Barnaby Holbeche of Fillingleym, Warwick, yeo., Walter his son and heir, John Blythe, of Allesly, yeo., and Anne his wife, daughter of said Barnaby Holbeche, John Mayne of Weston under Wetherley *als.* Werely, co. Warwick, yeo., Daniel Wyne, his son and heir apparent, John Tolberde of do., yeo., and Margaret his wife, and Thomas his son and heir apparent, Thomas Medes of do., yeo., and Wm. Westley, of do., laborer, of the first part: John Symth of Grayes Inn, Middlesex, son and heir of Richard Smyth late of Shelfords, co. Warwick, Esq., deceased, of the second part: and John Leicester and Robert Higginson of London, Gentlemen, of the third part, whereby Lord Spencer *et als.* hold reversion of manors, etc., in said John Smyth and his heirs, the said Lord Spencer and others make the said Leicester and Higginson present tenants as said John Smyth the vouchee and the common vouchee may suffer, and convey the manor of Fletchampstead *als.* Nether Fletchampstead, co. Warwick, and the manor house wherein one John Russell doth inhabit, and all those

houses, edifices, stables, barns, yards, pastures, commons, wastes, etc., rents, reversions, etc., in Fletchampstead, Allesley, Weston-under-Werely, Stonley, Conndon, Ericklowe, Attlebrough Grafton *als.* Temple Grafton, and Newbold-upon-Avon in co. Warwick, provided the said Leicester and Higginson at or in the walk adjoining to the mayor's parlor in the Cross Cheapinge, in the city of Coventry, on the 24 day of June next, pay the sum of 10000 pounds sterling. Dated 4 Dec., 10 James I (1612); enrolled 12 May, 11 Jas. I. (Close Rolls 11 Jas. I, part 23c, No. 35.)

These places are all in the close vicinity of Coventry, and Allesley adjoins Berkeswell on the east.

The connection of Robert Higginson of Virginia with the Berkeswell Higginsons is proven by the following and foregoing deeds:

Suit in Chancery, 1 Aug., 1650 (H. 93, No. 41), wherein Thomas Higginson of Berkeswell, in Warwickshire, complains that in July, 1650, Joanna Higginson, widow and relict of Robert Higginson, late citizen and printer stainer of London, deceased, and younger brother of your orator, in consideration of £280 for her better maintenance and the preferment of Lucy Higginson, the only daughter and heiress of said Robert and Joanna, and now living in Virginia, agreed to sell a certain messuage and lands in Berkeswell, now in the joint hands of Roger Roden, John Bird, and John Anstie or their assigns, and now or late in the occupation of the said Thomas Higginson, heretofore in the tenure of his parents (names illegible?), etc. Later it appears that in the 22d year of James (1624/5), a fine was passed enfeofing Stephen Hales and William Holbech, upon trust, for the benefit of said Thomas Higginson, the elder, and Ann his wife, your orator's father and mother, and afterward for the benefit of the said Joanna Higginson by the name of Joanna Torkesey; and that, about the month of Aug., 1649, the said Robert Higginson died in Virginia, and by virtue of the said fine the said Joanna and her heirs

become possessed of the benefits of the said trust. The said Stephen Hales * * * Stephen Hales of Snitterfield, co. Warwick, grandchild and heir of the said Stephen Hales, deceased, and Mary Holbech, grandchild and heir of the said William Holbech, deceased, are subject to the trusts aforesaid. It further appears that Barnabas Holbech was the father of the above mentioned Mary Holbech, and that she is under 16 and not able to give possession of the property, etc. There are other considerations involved, as Robert Higginson died possessed of a good estate and his relict had £500 of it, etc.

The object of the suit is to get possession through an order of the court, the complainant avowing there is a conspiracy to keep him out of his purchase and rights. The answer of Joanna Higginson, widow of Robert, is dated same day, who recites that after the fine mentioned and assurances were passed, she and the said Robert were married, and about seven years since did go into parts beyond the seas and did for divers years live in Virginia, and that the said Robert died there on or about Aug., 1649, leaving issue Lucie Higginson. She denies that the estate of said Robert was as much as £500, or that she came into possession of any considerable amount of it, and that the said Robert's estate was largely in debt in Virginia. She states she paid his debts and obtained an order affecting her discharge from the Colony and Council of Virginia, and that she and her daughter were left in a manner destitute, saving for the provision made for them before her marriage. That in July last she came to England to demand her property, etc., and made an agreement with the said Thomas, as he states, and has received the £280, and is content, and is willing that conveyance should be made to him of the property.

Answer of Mary Holbech, through her guardian, Arthur Calley, does not claim any interest or title in the estate.

Capt. Robert Higginson is mentioned in an old manuscript in the Rootes family as from Dublin, and he is said to have

been in 1645 the commander at Middle Plantation in Virginia.

His daughter and heiress, Lucy, married Major Lewis Burwell, and had Lewis, afterward major and member of the Council.

She married, second, Col. William Bernard, who seems to have died without issue.

She married, third, Col. Philip Ludwell, and had Philip, also a colonel and of Greenspring. (See "Lee of Virginia," page 127.)

We shall recur to this family later.

(To be continued.)

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

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Day.	Mo.	
5.	Sept.	Israel, of William and Mary (Creatty) Dodge. (Third wife.)
"	"	Ebenezer, of Ralph and Ellen (Lyn) Ellingwood.
"	"	Anna & Abigail, of Thomas and Abigail (Wallis) Sallows.
12.	"	Abigail, of John and Hannah (Woodberry) Ober.
"	"	Robert, of Joseph and Katharine (Sallows) Lovett.
"	"	Mary, of Robert and Elizabeth (Herrick) Cue.
19.	"	John and wife Hannah (Dodge) Green, with sons Jonathan and John.
26.	"	Sarah (Shaw), wife of John Tuck, Jr.
10.	Oct.	Robert, of John and Sarah (Woodberry) Pool.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Peter and Elizabeth (Mallet) Wooden.
17.	"	Roger, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell.
"	"	Sarah, of John, Jr. and Sarah (Shaw) Tuck.
14.	Nov.	Lydia, of Thomas and Bethiah Lovett.
26.	Dec.	Deborah Morgan, Jr.

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9.	Jan.	Samuel, Mehitable, of Samuel and Mehitable Bishop.
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Day.	Mo.	
27.	Mar.	Joanna, of John and Mary (Pride) Lovett.
3.	Apr.	Hannah, of John and Mary (Herrick) Smith.
24.	"	Emma, of John, Jr. and Sarah (Shaw) Tuck.
22.	May.	William (posthumous), of John and Hannah (Dodge) Green.
"	"	Eliab, of Eliab and Rachel (Sibley) Littlefield, of Wells, Me. (Formerly of Manchester.)
29.	"	Samuel, of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Morgan) Wallis.
"	"	Elizabeth, of William, 3d, and Elizabeth (Haskell) Dodge.
"	"	Nathaniel, of Josiah and Lydia (Masters) Littlefield, living at Wells, Me. (Formerly of Manchester.)
5.	June.	Robert, of Jonathan and Mary (Trask) Baker.
"	"	John, of Thomas and Abigail (Wallis) Sallows.
"	"	Samuel, of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Smith) Horrell.
"	"	Cornelius, of Cornelius and Abigail (Sallows) Larcom.
26.	"	Mary, of Thomas and Abigail (Lovett?) Woodberry.
"	"	George, of George and Jane (Stacy) Standley.
3.	July.	Jonathan, of Samuel, Jr. and Susanna (Knowlton) Corning.
"	"	Lydia, of Ebenezer and Lydia (Nowell) Dodge.
10.	"	Humphrey, of John and Alice (Derby) Woodberry.
"	"	James, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Dixey) Hayward.
17.	"	Daniel, of John and Sarah (Gaines) Creesy.
"	"	John, of Thomas and Hannah Cox.
31.	"	Lydia, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach) Herrick.
7.	Aug.	Elizabeth, of Samuel, Sen. and Elizabeth (Herrick) Stone.
28.	"	Cornelius, of John and Sarah Clark.
16.	Oct.	Mary, of Ebenezer and Hannah (Dodge) Woodberry.
23.	"	Benjamin, of John and Bethia (Mansfield) Conant.
13.	Nov.	Ambrose, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
"	"	Hannah, of James and Elizabeth (Hayward) Kettell.
"	"	Miriam, of John — deceased — and Miriam (Gale) White.
27.	"	Anna, of Benjamin — deceased — and Mary (Woodberry) Woodberry.

Day.	Mo.	
18.	Dec.	David, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
"	"	Sarah, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone) Wallis.
25.	"	Osmand, of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sallows) Trask.

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26.	Feb.	Elizabeth	wife of Peter Wooden.
"	"	Joanna, of Joseph, Jr. and Mary (Endicott) Herrick.	
5.	Mar.	Ebenezer, of John and Sarah (Woodberry) Pool.	
"	"	John, of John and Mary (Dodge) Herrick.	
12.	"	William, of Simon and Annis (Swetland) Lovett.	
19.	"	Ebenezer, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Herrick.	
"	"	Hannah, of George and Jerusha (Woodberry) Raymond.	
26.	"	Rose, of John and Martha	Trenance.
"	"	Hannah, of Peter and Abial	Yarrington.
2.	Apr.	Edward, of John Lee, of Manchester.	
"	"	Ruth, of Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone.	
9.	"	Joanna, of Lot and Abigail	Conant.
"	"	Mary, of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sallows) Trask.	
30.	"	Nehemiah Wood. (Adult.)	
"	"	Benjamin, of Peter, Jr. and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.	
"	"	Mark, of Luke and Martha (Conant) Perkins.	
"	"	Edward, of Matthew and Elizabeth (Hooper) Butman.	
"	"	Zachariah, of John and Bethiah (Woodberry) Batchelder.	
7.	May.	Robert, of Lot, Jr., and Martha (Cleaves) Conant.	
14.	"	Paul, of John and Joanna (Larkin — Dodge, née Hale) Thorndike.	
"	"	Anna, of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.	
"	"	Elizabeth, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell.	
"	"	William, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Dodge) Herrick.	
"	"	Abial, of Samuel, Jr. and Abial (Gaines) Stone.	
18.	June.	Ezekiel, of Nathaniel and Deborah	Hayward.
"	"	Mary, of Phillip and Deborah (Mansfield) White.	

Day.	Mo.		
25.	June.	Mary, of Samuel and Mehitable	Bishop.
2.	July.	Isaac, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell)	Griggs.
6.	Aug.	Hannah, of Andrew and Hannah (Fisk)	Dodge.
17.	Sept.	Lydia, of Samuel Lee, of Manchester.	
"	"	Mary, of Ebenezer and Lydia (Nowell)	Dodge.
24.	"	John, of John and Hannah (Woodberry)	Ober.
1.	Oct.	David, of William and Mary (Woodberry)	Conant.
8.	"	Elizabeth, of William and Mary (Parker)	Eliot.
"	"	Zachariah, of Henry, Jr. and Lydia (Woodberry)	Herick.
22.	"	William, of Abraham and Lydia (Ropes)	Gale.
31.	Dec.	Benjamin, of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Conant)	Raymond.

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7.	Jan.	Job, of John and Sarah (Gaines)	Creesy.
"	"	Joanna, of John and Alice (Derby)	Woodberry.
28.	"	Nathaniel, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone)	Wallis.
"	"	Thomas, of Thomas, Jr. and Bethiah	Lovett.
18.	Feb.	Abigail, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach)	Herick.
25.	"	Martha, of Ralph and Ellen (Lyn)	Ellingwood.
17.	Mar.	Noah and Rebecca, of Joseph, Jr. and Rebecca (Balsh)	Dodge.
7.	Apr.	Susanna (Clark?), wife of Luke Morgan.	
4.	May.	Israel, of Nehemiah and Lydia	Stone.
2.	June.	Joshua, of John and Sarah (Woodberry, <i>née</i> Haskell)	
		Pool. ("Per Mr. John Clark.")	
		(898 Baptisms.)	
		Close of Mr. Hale's ministry.	

"Whereas the Church of Christ in Beverly hath made choice of the Rev^d M^r Thomas Blowers to be their ordained Pastor and hath appointed Wednesday the 29th day of this Instant October to be the day for said M^r Blowers ordination to that office: the said Church of Beverly being Assembled on ye 19 day of October 1701 did then make choice of the Rev^d M^r Nicholas Noyes Pastor of the Church of Christ in Salem to manage the Affairs of said day in behalfe of the said Church of Beverly in the ordination of the said M^r Blower."

1701.

Day.	Mo.	
		William, of Luke and Susanna (Clark?) Morgan. Ebenezer, of John and Alice (Derby) Woodberry.
9.	Nov.	Barnabas, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Raymond.
"	"	Daniel, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone) Wallis.
"	"	Benjamin, of Joseph and Mercy (Chubb) Tree.
"	"	Jemima, of John and Bethia (Mansfield) Conant.
"	"	Martha, of John and Martha Trenance.
"	"	Hannah, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Dodge) Herrick.
"	"	Mary, of Peter and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
"	"	Sarah, of Roger and Hannah (Woodberry) Haskell.
"	"	William, of John and Rebecca Standley.
"	"	Joseph, of Lot and Elizabeth (Pride) Conant. (2d. wife. First wife, Abigail.)
"	"	Richard, of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.
"	"	Josiah, of Luke and Martha (Conant) Perkins.
"	"	Charity, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
"	"	Lydia, of Thomas and Abigail (Wallis) Sallows.
16.	"	Grace, of Simon and Annis (Swetland) Lovett.
"	"	Anna, of Robert and Anna (Ober) Morgan.
"	"	Mary, of Peter and Elizabeth (Mallet) Wooden.
"	"	Mary, of Peter and Abial Yarrington.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Smith) Horrell.
"	"	Sarah, of William and Hannah (Woodberry) Dodge.
"	"	Elizabeth, of William and Mary (Woodberry) Conant.
23.	"	Rebecca, of Robert and Elizabeth (Clark) Hale.
"	"	Elizabeth and Jane, of John and Mary (Pride) Lovett.
"	"	Samuel, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
"	"	Benjamin, of Matthew and Elizabeth (Hooper) But- man.
7.	Dec.	Nathaniel, of Nathaniel and Anna (widow of Edward Rich, <i>née</i> Balsh) Wallis.
"	"	Abigail, of George and Rebecca Pierce.
"	"	Elizabeth, of John and Deborah Baker.
14.	"	John, of John and Joanna (Dodge) Thorndike.
28.	"	John, of Jonathan and Mary (Trask) Baker.

(To be continued.)

**MARRIAGE NOTICES, FOR THE WHOLE
UNITED STATES, 1785—1794.**

(Continued from page 133.)

Price, Polly, m. Thomas Greenleaf.

Prince, Capt. James. At Charlestown, Capt. J. P., of this town, to Miss Agnes Gordon, of that place. (W. Feb. 25, 1789.)

Prince, Maria, m. John Beckley.

Prince, Mary, m. Charles Apthrop.

Prince, Sally Henshaw, m. John Tucker.

Prince, Samuel. Last Sunday evening, Mr. S. P. to Miss Sarah Ingersol. (W. Oct. 18, 1786.)

Prince, Capt. Samuel. In this town, Capt. S. P. to Miss Frances Davis. (W. May 22, 1793.)

Prior, Joshua. Mr. J. P. to Miss Betsey Fellows. (S. April 14, 1792.)

At Lebanon implied.

Prisely, Polly, m. Robert Robertson, Jun.

Procter, William. At Lynn, Mr. W. P. to Mrs. Anna Brown. (S. Jan. 19, 1793.)

Procter, William B. In this town, Mr. W. B. P. to Miss Lydia Bowes. (S. Jan. 26, 1793.)

Proctor, Miss, m. William Shaw.

Proctor, Col. Edward. In this town, Col. E. P. to Miss Polly Adams. (W. Aug. 25, 1790.)

Proctor, Col. Edward. Col. E. P. to Miss Hannah Atkins. (W. June 22, 1791.)

Proctor, Lydia, m. William Parkman.

Proctor, Thorndike, Jun. At Salem, Mr. T. P., Jun., to Betsey Hathorne. (W. Apr. 9. 1788.)

Prout, Lydia, m. Samuel Cutler.

Province, Eliza, m. Samuel Dexter.

- Puffer, James. At Shrewsbury, Mr. J. P., of Sudbury, to Mrs. Submit Goddard, of Shrewsbury. (W. March 14, 1792.)
- Punchard, Sarah, m. William Phelps.
- Purkett, Mary, m. William B. Peters.
- Putnam, Dr. Archelaus. At Danvers, by the Rev. Mr. Osgood, Dr. A. P. to Miss Nabby Bishop, both of said town. (W. Nov. 15, 1786.)
- Putnam, Ebenezer. At Salem, Mr. E. P. to Miss Sally Fisk, daughter of Brigadier-General Fisk. (W. May 25, 1791.)
- Putnam, Eliza, m. Winthrop Gray.
- Putnam, Sally, m. Dr. Nahum Fay.
- Quackembos, Nancy, m. Thomas Greenleaf.
- Quincey, John W. In this town, last Thursday evening, Mr. J. W. Q., of Portland, merchant, to Miss Abigail Atkins, daughter of Capt. Silas Atkins, of this town. (W. May 7, 1794.)
- Quincey, Samuel. Mr. S. Q., attorney-at-law, to Miss Elizabeth Hatch, daughter of Col. Jabez Hatch, both of this town. (W. Nov. 1, 1786.)
- Quincy, Edmund. Last Thursday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Thatcher, the Hon. E. Q., Esq., to Miss Anna Gerrish, a maiden lady of agreeable and engaging manners. (W. Jan. 18, 1785.)
- Quincy, Nancy, m. Rev. Asa Packard.
- Quincy, Polly, m. James Kettle.
- Quynn, Miss, m. Capt. John Kilty.
- Ramsay, Sally, m. Thomas Porter.
- Ramsdell, Betsey, m. Levi Starbuck.
- Rand, Edward. At Newburport, Mr. E. R., merchant, to Mrs. Martha Parsons. (S. Oct. 27, 1792.)
- Rand, Joanna, m. Caleb Lamson.
- Rand, Mary, m. Robert Oliver.
- Rand, Nehemiah. At Cambridge, on Monday last, N. R., Esq., of Lindsborough, to Miss Margaret Prentiss, daugh-

- ter of the late Rev. Thomas Prentiss, of Charlestown.
(W. Nov. 23, 1791.)
- Rand, Thomas. At Charlestown, Mr. T. R. to Miss Polly
Larkin. (S. Jan. 18, 1894.)
- Ranger, Fanny, m. Jedidiah Joy.
- Rathbon, Joshua. At Providence, Mr. J. R. to Miss Wait
Kilton. (W. Oct. 8, 1794.)
- Ray, Uzziel. At Salem, Mr. U. R. to Miss Betsey Nourse.
(S. Nov. 20, 1790.)
- Raymond, Benjamin. At Nantucket, Mr. B. R. to Miss
Betsey Kidder. (S. Dec. 14, 1793.)
- Raymond, Ephraim. At Raynham, Mr. E. R., formerly of
this town, to Miss Polly Dean, daughter of Josiah Dean,
Esq., of that place. (S. Nov. 8, 1788.)
- Rea, Betsey, m. Capt. Michael Homer.
- Rea, Betsey, m. Capt. Zechariah Rhodes.
- Rea, Daniel, tertius. Mr. D. R., tertius, to Miss Sally
Bangs. (W. April 22, 1789.)
- Rea, Ruth, m. William Lovett.
- Rea, William. At Murphy'sboro' (N.C.), Mr. W. R.,
merchant, formerly of Boston, to Miss Peggy Wynn, of
Salem. (S. Feb. 16, 1793.)
- Read, Mrs. Harriott, m. James Crosby.
- Read, Gen. James. At Leominster, Gen. J. R. to Miss
Mary Farrar. (S. March 16, 1793.)
- Read, John. In this town, Mr. J. R. to Miss Mercy
Pease. (W. Feb. 18, 1789.)
- Read, Thomas. On Thursday, Mr. T. R. to the amiable
Miss Ruthy Wait, both of Roxbury. (W. March 12,
1788.)
- Redman, Patty, m. Joseph A. Kimble.
- Reed, Amos. Near Poughkeepsie, Mr. A. R. to Mrs. Roby
Jinks. (S. May 7, 1791.)

The story which follows was printed again S. March 31,
1792, where the bride's name, Miss Roby Jenks, gives
the narrative an entirely different aspect.

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PRESTON, CONN., RECORDS OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

(Continued from page 136.)

Edward Pain m. 6 Apr. 1732 Lois Kinni.

(32)* Thomas Foster m. 3 July 1711 Marcy Gates, and had Stephen b. 20 Apr. 1712, Sarah b. 31 July 1717.

Joseph Rude m. 13 Nov. 1742 Deborah Parke "both of Preston," and had Evy (first two letters blotted) (dau.) b. 18 Feb'y 174 $\frac{3}{4}$, "Dan their Rude their Son" b. 4 Sept. 1745, Desier b. 26 Dec. 1747, Asher b. 19 Jan'y 175 $\frac{0}{1}$, Patience and Olive b. 4 May 1753, Mary b. 4 June 1756. "The above sd Joseph Rude" d. 11 Mch. 1756.

"Stephen Tucker." This is written over.

Hannah, dau. of "Stephen Tucker, and Hannah his wife," b. 8 Oct. 1722, Stephen b. 29 Sept. 1724, Christopher d. 4 Apr. 1726, Ephraim b. 20 Oct. 1726, Lydia b. 24 Oct. 1729, "A Second Stephen Tucker" b. 7 Apr. 1732, Abigail b. 16 May 1735, William b. 28 May 1737; Hannah "wife to ye above Sd Stephen Tucker" d. 28 Feb'y 174 $\frac{5}{8}$.

(33) "Peter Branch his children Birth." Mary b. 28 June 1685, Hannah b. 12 July 1688, Elizebeth b. 15 Mch. 1692, John b. 31 Mch. 1694, Peter b. 30 Mch. 1696, Thomas b. 25 Dec. 1698, Samuell b. 2 Sept. 1701, Joseph b. 20 Sept. 1707. "The above named Peter Branch" d. 27 Dec. 1713. Sarah Branch b. 16 Sept. 1704. Hannah "widow of ye aboue named Peter Branch" d. 16 Jan'y 173 $\frac{1}{2}$.

"Isaac wedg." John Wedg b. 23 Mch. 171 $\frac{6}{7}$.

Thomas Davison m. 31 Aug. 1726 Lidia Herrick, and had Andrew b. 17 June 1727, Zephaniah b. 5 Mch. 1729, Christopher b. 15 Apr. 1732, Daniel b. 4 June 1734, Assa

* These references are to old paging.

NOTE. — Quotation marks are used to mark any peculiarities in the record.

b. 1 Sept. 1736, Christopher born 15 Meh. 1731, d. 29 Apr. 1731, Lidia b. 1 Jan'y 173 $\frac{3}{8}$, Elisabeth b. 1 Apr. 1741.

(34) "Charles Williams." Mark, son of Charles Williams, b. 12 Feb'y 1688, Hannah b. 3 Feb'y 1692, Isak b. 11 July 1694, Danell b. 2 Nov. 1696, David b. 4 Nov. 1698, Jaratiah b. 26 Oct. 1701, Boaz b. 10 Jan'y 1706, Jeradiah b. 12 Jan'y 1709.

"The age of Joseph Kinnis Children." Abigall b. 16 Aug. 1705, Jacob b. 2 June 1707, Zeporah b. 23 Meh. 170 $\frac{3}{8}$, Daniell b. 15 Apr. 1711, Keziah b. 23 July 1713, Eunice b. 20 Jan'y 1716, d. 18 June 1718, Joseph b. 17 Feb'y 171 $\frac{7}{8}$, Mary b. 28 June 1721, Asa b. 26 Sept. 1723, Annah b. 31 July 1725, Ezra b. 20 Sept. 1727.

(35) Miles Standish m. 5 Dec. 1700 Mehitabell Adams. "Thomas Stanton." Annah (dau. of Thomas & Annah) b. 10 Aug. 1693, Thomas b. 24 Apr. 1696, Bridget b. 6 Feb'y 169 $\frac{3}{8}$, Sarah b. 20 Oct. 1700, Lewse b. 7 Aug. 1704, Thankfull b. 17 Feb'y 170 $\frac{2}{7}$, Mary b. 2 June 1709, Olliue b. 26 Jan'y 1712, Eliiah b. 28 Meh. 171 $\frac{4}{6}$.

Benjamin Kimball b. 15 Apr. 1722, Bethiah and Sarah b. 18 Feb'y 172 $\frac{3}{4}$, Joseph b. 29 Dec. 1731. (These names are indexed in the old index under the name of "Joseph Kimball," as being his family.)

(36) "John Amas." John Amas m. — Apr. 1694 Sarah Morgan. John Amas b. 29 Aug. 1697, William Amos b. 12 Oct. 1700, Sary Amos b. 30 June 1703, Margrat b. 6 Sept. 1708, Ester b. 16 Apr. 1711, Hannah "Ames" b. 18 Feb'y 171 $\frac{4}{5}$, d. 1 Sept. 1717. "Mrs. Sarah Amos ye wife of Mr. John Amos d. ——. Mr. John Amos d. 22 Jan'y 1758 in y^e 101 year of his age."

William Ames m. 31 Jan'y 172 $\frac{1}{2}$ Sarah Millinton, and had William b. 7 Nov. 1722, Annah b. 22 Sept. 1724, Martha b. 24 Feb'y 172 $\frac{2}{7}$, Margret b. 15 June 1729, Darkis (dau.) b. 26 Feb'y 173 $\frac{3}{4}$, "Sarah Ames ye wife of William Ames" d. 29 June 1763."

(37) Jonathan Tracy m. 11 Feb'y 1700⁰/₁ Annah Palmer, Jonathan b. 30 Nov. 1702, Annah b. 29 Oct. 1703; "Jonathan Tracy Senr." d. 25 Feb'y 1704.

Jeremiah Tracy m. 13 Oct. 1713 Mary Witter.

"Cooke Children."* James Cooke b. 1 Jan'y 171⁶/₇, Margaret b. 4 Apr. 1718, Isaiah b. 19 Mch. 17¹⁸/₂₀, Thadeus b. 18 Nov. 1721, Ruth b. 10 July 1723.

Moses Tyler m. 20 Nov. 1729 Mary Belcher, and had Mary b. 12 Dec. 1730, Moses b. 10 July 1732, Elisha b. 5 Aug. 1734, Hannah b. 25 Mch. 1736, Sarah b. 30 Sept. 1738, Easter b. 29 Dec. 1740; "The above sd Mary Tyler" d. 19 Apr. 1742, Moses Tyler of Preston m. 11 Nov. 1742 Joannah Denison of Stonington, and had Elijah b. 2 Dec. 1743, Thankfull b. 27 Sept. 1745.

(38) "Lazarus Tiler."

Nathanell b. 14 May 1703.

Susannah Clark, dau. "of Benjamin Clark and his wife," b. 12 July 1731. Sarah b. 20 Feb'y 1735.

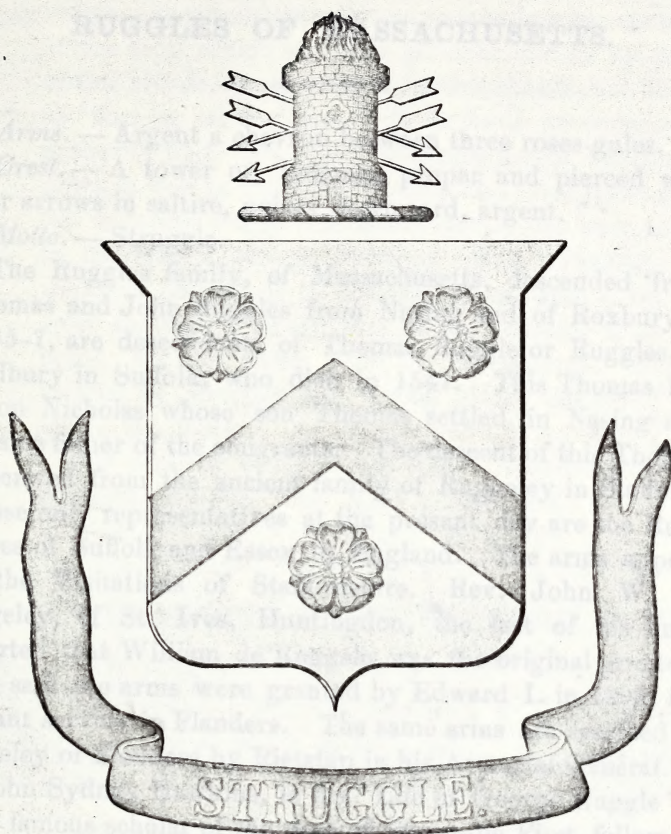
Frances Tracy m. 6 Jan'y 171³/₄ Elizabeth Parrish, and had Elizabeth b. 23 Aug. 1714, Isaac b. 9 Nov. 1716, Frances b. 23 Feb'y 171⁶/₇, Thankfull b. 29 Nov. 1718, Miriam b. 12 Oct. 1720, Sherabiah (Sherebiah, "e" with an "a" over-written) b. 5 Jan'y 172¹/₂. Francis Tracy Senr. d. 28 Nov. 1755.

Joseph Kinne Ju^r. m. 10 June 1740 Sarah Blunt, "both of Preston."

(39.) "Isaac Morgan." David b. 21 Feb'y 1700, Mary b. 21 June 1702, Isaack b. 28 May 1706, Joseph b. 15 Mch. 1710, Beniaman b. 18 Aug. 1714 Ebenezer b. 24 Sept. 1719; "ye above Named Isaac morgan" d. 26 June 1725; Isaac Morgan m. "to his Second wife" Abigail Skiffe, 23 June 1715 and had Nathaniel b. 23 June 1717. Mr. Isaac Morgan d. 25 Nov. 1754.

"Richard Starkweather." Richard Starkweather m. 12 Mch. 172¹/₂ Mary Plumer, and had Eliiah b. 11 Dec. 1722, Nathan b. 10 Aug. 1725, Mary and Anna b. 13 Oct. 1728,

* See note on book in February issue.



RUGGLES.

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ALBION

RUGGLES OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Arms. — Argent a chevron between three roses gules.

Crest. — A tower or, inflamed proper and pierced with four arrows in saltire, points downward, argent.

Motto. — Struggle.

The Ruggles family, of Massachusetts, descended from Thomas and John Ruggles from Nasing and of Roxbury in 1635-7, are descendants of Thomas Ruggle or Ruggles, of Sudbury in Suffolk, who died in 1547. This Thomas left a son Nicholas whose son Thomas settled in Nasing and became father of the emigrants. The descent of this Thomas is derived from the ancient family of Ruggeley in Stafford, whose only representatives at the present day are the Ruggleses of Suffolk and Essex in England. The arms appear in the Visitations of Staffordshire. Rev. John W. S. Rugeley, of St. Ives, Huntingdon, the last of his line, asserted that William de Ruggele was the original grantee. It is said the arms were granted by Edward I. in 1298, for valiant service in Flanders. The same arms are ascribed to Rugeley of Flanders by Rietstap in his *Armorial Général*.

John Sydney Hawkins, in his "Life of George Ruggle" * (the famous scholar of the time of James the First, fellow of Clare Hall, dramatist, wit, and satirical writer, and among the first and most energetic workers in the cause of English colonization in America, a member of the Virginia Company), traces this branch of the family from Stafford to Warwick, Lincoln, and Suffolk, in which county last named Thomas and William Ruggle, two brothers, settled at the beginning of the sixteenth century. He thus blazons the arms therein: "Field argent, a chevron inter three roses gules."

* T. Payne & Son, London, 1787.

HUGOLES OF MASSACHUSETTS.

There — Argued a question between these two poles.
 Quest — A tower at, intended proper and pleased with
 But answer is silent, points downward, urgent.
 Note — *Argued*
 The Hugoles family, of Massachusetts, descended from
 Thomas and John Hugoles from Reading and of Hugoles in
 1633-4, are descendants of Thomas Hugoles or Hugoles, of
 Bedford is English, who died in 1642. This Thomas and
 a son Nicholas whose son Thomas settled in Reading and
 became father of the subject. The descent of this Thomas
 is derived from the second family of Hugoles in England,
 whose only representative at the present day are the Hug-
 oles of Bedford and Essex in England. The same appear
 in the Visitation of Middlesex, Nov. John W. S.
 Hugoley, of St. Ives, Hampshire, the last of his line,
 married that William de Hugoley was the original grantee.
 His wife the same were granted by Edward I. in 1288, for
 Robert son of Edward. The same were also granted to
 Hugoley of Bedford by Richard in the Armoiral Garter.
 John Hugoley Hugoley in the "List of George Hugoley"
 the names which of the time of James the First, Hugoley of
 Olive Hill, domestic, was, and married writer, and among
 the first and most energetic writers in the name of English
 Hugoley in America, a member of the Virginia Company,
 names the branch of the family from Bedford to West
 Lincoln, and Bedford, in which county last named Thomas
 and William Hugoley, two brothers, settled at the beginning
 of the sixteenth century. His line shows the same
 descent. Their agent, a chertan into these two poles.

* 1795 & 1800, 1810.

Crest. — On a wreath of the colors a tower or, flaming at the top proper, against four arrows in saltire."

Some question has arisen as to whether the correct blazon of the arms which are here given should be as at the head of this article, or whether the tower should not be described as "flaming at the top." It is held by eminent modern authority that "inflamed" indicates flames bursting out the ports as well as from the battlements. But there are numerous instances where inflamed evidently has been used simply to describe a beacon burning. Gen. Timothy Ruggles, who was prominent in colonial times, used a seal with the crest showing a tower with flames bursting from the port-holes, but not rising from the battlements. The arrows, instead of piercing the tower, pierce the cloud of smoke above the tower.

For detailed pedigree see "N.Y. Genealogical and Biographical Record," Vol. XXV., 164; XXVIII., 214.

GLEANINGS FROM BEDFORD COUNTY, VIRGINIA, DEEDS.

Benjamin Orrick to William Stone, land on Otter River. 27 May, 1754.

Jester Cox, of Lunenburg, never heard any harm nor said any harm of John Mead. 31 July 1753. Witnesses, John Richardson, William Rentfre, Robert Groom.

Richard Callaway and wife Frances, of Bedford, to James Tate of Fredersville county Louisa, 400 acres for £40 on the north branch of the Otter, 24 Dec., 1754.

Obadiah Woodson of County Albermarle, to Henry Chiles of Prince Edwards county, 1830 acres on Stanton river. 18 Sept., 1754.

Sackfield Mahone of county Halifax to Matthew Talbot

of Beds., on road from Otter river to Long Mountain. Witnesses, Brisse Parish, Randel Woodward, Abraham Chandler, Robert Allen.

Richard Woodward of Russell, to son Isaac, 100 acres on branch of Iveys Creek. Wife Elizabeth joins. 23 June, 1755.

George Walton of county Lunenburg, to George Pear-tree Burks of Beds., land on Butterums creek. 8 May, 1755.

Richard Woodward of Cumberland parish, to John Woodward of ditto, for love and affection, land there. 25 Aug., 1765.

Jeffery Crolay to William Calloway, land on Little Otter. Wife Effey joins. 22 Sept., 1755.

Jeffery Crowley of County Halifax, to Jasen Meadow of Beds., 300 acres in Beds. 28 March, 1757.

Indenture between William Callaway and Richard Callaway, Zachery Isbell, Benjamin Howard, gent., trustees for county of Bedford; recites that said William on the 26 Aug., 1754, agreed to give 100 acres at the forks of the road, near his house, to erect a court house and prison upon, and to give a deed of fifty acres, and a deed of the other fifty as soon as he had a patent of the same. The court house was standing at the time of this indenture. 28 March, 1757.

John Chiles of Prince Edward county, and wife of Elizabeth, to Hugh Challis of ditto, 300 acres on north side of Stanton river granted to Obadiah Woodson. 26 Jan., 1761.

Obadiah Woodson of county Albermarle to James Walker of Prince Edwards for £160 Virginia currency, 1250 acres on upper side Buffalo creek, Lunenburg county. 25 July, 1754.

Also, same to Joel Wadkins of Prince Edwards, land in Beds., on Stanton river. 10 June, 1754.

Bond of Joseph Ray as sheriff, by Joseph Ray, Obadiah

Woodson, Turner Hunt, Christain Bick, John Partree Bick, Edward Watts, Jr., James Walker, Thomas Walker, Benjamin Orrick, Joseph Mayo, John Good, gent. 22 July, 1754.

Glidwell Orrill of Lunenburg, planter, to William Callaway of ditto, land north side Otter river. Wife Sarah joins. 20 Feb., 1754. Witnesses, Thomas Gaddy, Benjamin Orrick.

Thomas Pice and wife Sarah, to John McKey, yeoman, 125 acres both sides Goose creek, at Waltons Run. 27 May, 1754. Witnesses, William Verdeman, Barnabas Arther, Robert Allen.

MARRIAGES IN PORTSMOUTH, N.H., SOUTH
PARISH, BY REV. SAMUEL HAVEN,
1752 — 1760.

The records of the South Church are in good condition, and a typewritten copy accessible to strangers. The baptisms date from 1714, the year of the division. On account of the very meagre vital records belonging to the city the value of church records is greatly increased.

At the City Hall may be found a copy of the first parish and church records, which, however, are not continuous, although practically dating from 1671. The Episcopal church (St. John's) records begin 1732, and are in the care of the rector.

Newington, formerly Bloody Point, was set off from Portsmouth and Dover in 1713.

A private record of births, marriages, and deaths in Portsmouth from 1706 to 1742 is printed in Vol. S, 23-26, of N.E. Hist. Gen. Register.

Rev. Samuel Haven died 3 March, 1806, æ. 79. He had been in the ministry fifty-four years. Born in Framingham, 4 Aug., 1727, he graduated at Harvard in 1749, and was ordained over Portsmouth South Parish in May, 1752.

- Amos Abbott and Susannah Banfield, 4 Sept., 1753.
 Josiah Akerman and Mary Odiorne, 27 Dec., 1759.
 Simeon Akerman and Sarah Jackson, 27 July, 1756.
 John Bailey and Sarah Johnson, 8 June, 1754.
 Peter Ball and Sarah Pierce, 17 Apr., 1754.
 John Banfill and Johanna Jones, 5 July, 1759.
 Joseph Banfill and Eliza Jones, 5 Aug., 1760.
 Nath'l Batchellor, Jr., and Ruth Sanbourn, 14 Dec., 1758.
 Henry Beck and Martha Frost, 2 Mar., 1757.
 Wm. Buck and Mary Rhimes, 6 Jan., 1755.
 Jos. Caprel and Eliza Hopkins, 6 Sept., 1756.
 Edw. Cate and Martha Marshall, 9 Jan., 1755.
 Richard Champney and Eliza Griffith, 11 Jan., 1759.
 Thos. Chandler and Sarah Deaverson, 10 Mar., 1757.
 Thos. Chatborn and Hannah Lang, 31 Jan., 1758.
 Nicholas Christian and Elizb. Hale, 1 Feb., 1754.
 John Churchill and Elizb. Colton, 7 Nov., 1753.
 Wm. Clarage and Ann Tobey, 12 June, 1755.
 Patrick Conaway and Abigail Sutton, 7 Mar., 1754.
 — Coomer and Elizb. Kennerson, 24 Sept., 1760.
 Wm. Cottle and Sarah Fatherby, 8 Oct., 1756.
 Jos. Cutts and Mary Stevenson, 2 Nov., 1758.
 Bartholomew Daley and Ellis Thomson, 24 June, 1756.
 Geo. Dam and Hannah Lang, 29 Nov., 1753.
 Edmund Davis and Mary Fisk, 3 July, 1759.
 Edw. Doby and Bathia Conner, 11 Feb., 1754.
 Joshua Downing and Mary Richards, 30 Sept., 1756.
 Richard Downs and Mary Levins, 5 Mar., 1754.
 Elijah Drew and Abigail Thomas, 25 Nov., 1760.
 Richard Evans and Mary Fernald, 9 Nov., 1758.
 Samuel Evans and Bethia Lowd, 27 Nov., 1759.
 Nath'l Fernald and Dorcas Pitman, 26 Aug., 1755.

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- Morris Fitzgerald and Sarah Weeks, 22 Nov., 1756.
 James Frisbie and Johanna Peabody, 1 Dec., 1756.
 Geo. Fernald and Elizb. Lang, 5 Dec., 1754.
 Nath'l Garland and Margaret Stephenson, 13 May, 1760.
 Robert Gibbs and Olive Card, 14 Dec., 1758.
 Nathan Glossen and Sarah Cane, 4 Oct., 1756.
 Gideon Gooding and Elizb. Jenkins, 17 Aug., 1753.
 Timothy Goodwin and Mehitabel Goodwin, 25 Apr., 1760.
 James Guppy and Jane Lang, 26 Aug., 1754.
 John Grant and Hannah Griffith, 29 Aug., 1753.
 Peter Grant and Eleanor Moulton, 30 July, 1759.
 James Haines and Easter Lear, 27 —, 1757.
 Sam'l Haines, Jr., and Anna Jenness, 3 Feb., 1756.
 John Hall and Eliza Lewis, 4 Jan., 1759.
 Timothy Hanscombe and Mary Fernald, 30 Apr., 1758.
 Richard Hart and Mercy Collins, 22 Sept., 1757.
 Wm. Hart and Eliza Greenleaf, Apr., 1759.
 Samuel Homes and Hannah Salter, 2 Dec., 1756.
 William Hopkins and Eliza Bickford, 24 Oct., 1755.
 Mark Hunking and Eliza Hart, 18 Feb., 1754.
 ——— Huntress and Mary Pickering, 25 Dec., 1760.
 John Hutchings and Lydia Weeks, 6 June, 1754.
 George Jackson and Margaret Pope, 7 June, 1754.
 Samuel Jackson and Sarah Low, 9 Dec., 1760.
 William Jaffrey and Mary Welch, 25 June, 1752.
 William Jenkins and Mary Moore, 1 Nov., 1757.
 John Jones and Mary Shortridge, 1 Feb., 1758.
 John Killand and Sarah Cottle, 15 Sept., 1755.
 Henry Kitchnor and Margaret Welch, 10 Dec., 1759.
 Samuel Knapp and Mary Jenkins, 1 Aug., 1760.
 Joseph Knowles and Sarah Pain, 22 Aug., 1753.
 Henry Lang and Anna Wells, 15 Aug., 1759.
 Jonathan Lang and Mary White, 25 Dec., 1756.
 Michael Lawlip and Mary Laten, 25 Aug., 1752.
 John Leach and Eliza Gammon, 31 Oct., 1755.
 Tobias Lear and Mary Stilson, 29 Dec., 1757.

- Walker Lear and Mary Cowell, 12 Jan., 1758.
 John Lewis and Mary Barns, 24 Dec., 1755.
 Ichabod Linscot and Esther Westcott, 14 Oct., 1755.
 Edward Lowd and Elizabeth Boyd, 19 Nov., 1757.
 Joseph Low and Rachel Jackson, 12 Oct., 1759.
 James Macgill and Sarah Partridge, 26 Dec., 1752.
 James March and Margery Jones, 4 Oct., 1753.
 James Marden and Elizabeth Jackson, 30 Nov., 1758.
 Timothy Marden and Elizabeth Tucker, 18 Aug., 1757.
 John Meginis and Mary Noble, 7 May, 1752.
 John Meloon and Eliza Moor, 6 Dec., 1759.
 Nathaniel Merrill and Mary Seargeant, 21 Nov., 1755.
 James Mallony and Hannah Hunter, 7 July, 1757.
 John Mobbs and Tabitha Downs, 14 July, 1753.
 Hercules Mooney and Mary Jones, 27 Aug., 1755.
 Samuel Morrison and Mary Peirce, 11 July, 1754.
 Joseph Moses and Eleanor Lang, 10 Aug., 1759.
 Robert Neal and Edith Jackson, 6 Oct., 1757.
 Isaac Nelson and Dorothy Pickering, 15 June, 1754.
 Mark Nelson and Hannah Melony, 5 July, 1759.
 Joseph O'Shaw and Jane Cressy, 31 Jan., 1754.
 Stephen Parker and Eliza Parker, 8 Aug., 1760.
 — Partridge and Priscilla Walden, 27 Aug., 1754.
 Noah Paul and Mary —, 7 Nov., 1758.
 William Pearn and Phebe Haines, 4 Jan., 1755.
 Otto Perry and Mary Senter, 15 Dec., 1760.
 Ephraim Pickren and Lydia Coleman, 7 Sept., 1757.
 John Pray and Ruth Ginnison, 28 July, 1759.
 Thomas Prowse and Elizb. Lambeth, Oct., 1754.
 Tilbrook Rand and Deborah Wells, 3 June, 1754.
 Philip Read and Dorothy Cullings, 15 Oct., 1753.
 Joseph Remmick and Sarah Wells, 21 June, 1756.
 Eben Salter and Eliza Davis, June, 1759.
 Benj. Seaward and Elizabeth Peavy, 21 June, 1757.
 James Shapley and Hannah Ayers, 11 Dec., 1760.
 James Shepherd and Mary May, 30 May, 1754.

Nathaniel Sherbourne and Elizabeth Lear, 4 Jan., 1759.
Samuel Shortridge and Jerusha Palmer, 7 Mar., 1754.
Pearce Silvan and Abigail Abbott, 28 June, 1758.
Thomas Skinner and Ruth Mead, 16 June, 1757.
Samuel Stead and Elizabeth Green, 26 June, 1756.
Charles Stoneman and Easter Abbott, 1 June, 1756.
Thomas Stoodly and Mary Hilton, 28 Nov., 1754.
Martyn Strader and Eliza Peirce, 13 Oct., 1759.
Joseph Symms and Ann Hart, 29 Nov., 1757.
Israel Tibbetts and Mehitabel Salter, 13 Jan., 1757.
Nathaniel Tibbetts and Meribah Hutchins, 4 Sept., 1753.
John Thomas and Elizabeth Moses, 27 April, 1753.
Nathaniel Treadwell and Comfort Stilson, 9 Jan., 1759.
John Vicker and Johanna Gummer, 29 Sept., 1757.
Amos Warren and Esther Spinney, 8 Jan., 1754.
Samuel Waterhouse and Hannah Bickford, 16 Oct., 1760.
David Watson and Mary Lang, 29 Apr., 1754.
David Watson and Abigail White, 20 May, 17—.
Benjamin Wells and Mary Tripe, 4 Dec., 1755.
William Whittemore and Mary Crockford, 27 Dec., 1752.
John Winkley and Deborah Cane, 18 Jan., 1758.
Richard Woods and Sarah Partridge, 20 Dec., 1752.
Jacob Yawes and Abigail Marriner, 26 Nov., 1754.

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ROBERT PRINCE. Will dated 24 May, 1674. Two sons James and Joseph all my houses, lands etc., equally; when twenty one.

Daughter Elizabeth Prince, when 18, to be paid £15 by each son, and £10 by my wife.

Henry Brage £3.

Wife to have house and land during minority of sons and

bring up my children. Wife to be executrix. If all my children die before coming to age, then all my land shall fall to ye next of blood. Lt. Thomas Putnam and John Putnam sworn saith y^t the above written was the mind and will of the deceased, 30-4-167(3). (301.47)

JOHN LEGG, Sr., of Marblehead. Will dated 16-9-1672. Wife Elizabeth all my estate, and should she re-marry, her husband to have no control over it. After her decease, to be divided between my three sons Samuel, John and Daniel.

Son Daniel being my youngest son to have ten pounds more than the others. To son Samuel's two children £5 each; same to son John's two children.

JOHN T LEGG.

Witnesses Samuel Ward, Edward Humphry.

Proved by Lt. Sam^l Ward and Edward Humphry, 1-5-1674. Sons Samuel John and Daniel Legg appointed administrators.

Inventory, 25 May, 1674, by Samuel Ward, Erasmus James. Total £316.13.02. Dwelling house and acre and half of meadow and orchard. £115; other land; one servant boy 8ⁿ: under silk grass bed 55^d; bible and psalm book. (301.48)

JOHN TARBOX, Sr., of Lynn. Will dated 25-9-1673. To son John, after my wife's decease, my house, housing, land, orchard, etc. Son Samuel Tarbox £25, to be paid by John; 18 months after death of myself and wife; also that three acres of land formerly my wife's before I married her, and two acres of salt marsh in Rumney marsh. Grandchild Samuel Tarbox, one young steer.

To every one of the children of John and Samuel Tarbox, an ewe sheep each.

Wife to be executor. Friends Capt. Marshall and Thomas Laughton, overseers.

JOHN X TARBOX, Sen^r.

Witnesses Thomas Laughton, Sen^r., John B. B. Burges.

Proved 1-5-1674.

bring up my children. With to be executrix. If all my children die before coming to age, then all my land shall fall to my next of blood. I, A. Thomas Putnam and John Putnam agree with the above written was the mind and will of the deceased, 80-4-167(2). (501-47)

John Lane, Sr., of Marshfield. Will dated 15-9-1872. With I intended all my estate, and should the same, but intended to have no control over it. After her decease, to be divided between my three sons Samuel, John and Daniel. Son Daniel being my youngest son to have ten pounds more than the others. To my daughter's two children 15 each; same to son John's two children.

John T. Lane.

Witness Samuel Ward, Edward Humphrey.
Proved by A. Sam. Ward and Edward Humphrey, 1-5-1874.
John Samuel John and Daniel I, appraised administrators.
Inventory, 25 May, 1874, of Samuel Ward, deceased.
James. Total £1212 12 00. Dwelling houses and acre and
half of meadow and orchard. £115; other land; one cow-
and pig 5; under the year 1872-73; bills and balance
due. (501-48)

John Tabor, Sr., of Lynn. Will dated 25-9-1873.
To son John, after my wife's decease, my house, housing,
land, orchard, etc. Son Samuel Tabor £25, to be paid up
John; 15 months after death of myself and wife; also that
three acres of land formerly my wife's before I married her,
and two acres of salt marsh in Rumney marsh. (501-49)
Witness Tabor, one young man.

To every one of the children of John and Samuel Tabor,
as was always such.

With to be executor. Friends Capt. Marshall and Thomas
Laghton, overseers.

John X. Tabor, Sen.
Witness Thomas Laghton, Sen., John B. E. Dwyer.
Proved 1-5-1874.

Inventory 29-3-1674, by Thomas Loughton, Sr., and Robert Burges. Dwelling house and barn, seven acres and orchard, £55. Debts owed by John Tarbox, Jr., and Samuel Tarbox, and by Ezekiel Needham. Debts to Capt. Marshall, George Cole, Robert Driver, Jr., John Tarbox, Jr. Total net estate £159.06.06. —

Presented by the relict, 1-5-1674. (30149)

ROBERT LEACH, of Manchester. Nuncupative will and agreement. Legacies to married daughters Sarah and Elizabeth five pounds each; daughter Mary ten pounds; two youngest daughters Bethia and Abigaile eight pounds apiece; Otherwise all to wife Alice and his two sons Samuel and Robert, to be equally proportioned between them.

The wife and sons "have agreed within our selves" to make an addition to those legacies out of our own estates as to the two eldest daughters Sara and Elizabeth what they received from their father, fifteen pounds apiece, they being married having received some portion already. The rest of the daughters Mary, Bethiah, and Abigail to have fifteen pounds apiece each of them.

The widow Alice Leach resigns her interest in her husband's estate to her sons Samuel and Robert, who are to pay her ten pounds per year in such pay as may be for her use, and as she stands in need of the house left by our father, where she now lives, the household stuff is to remain to her during widowhood; but if she marry to return to her sons, who are to be released from half the annuity.

The sons also consent to her receiving twenty pounds for own use which she is to bequeath to her children as she please. —

Signed

ALCE X LEACH
SAM^{LL} X LEACH
ROBERT LEACH.

Witnesses Sam : Freind, John Elathorpe,
29 June, 1674.

Presented in court 2-5-1664, and agreed to by all persons "of discession." The relict and sons appointed administrators.

Inventory by John West and Paul Thorndike. Dwelling house, barn and orchard and 85 acres upland £230: "canoos, guns swords and other small things" £4; total £464.

(301.51)

HUGH ALLEY, Sr., will dated 2-11-1673. "To my son John Ally a ewesheep and lamb at michalmas next, his wife and children for to have the use of them, till the children come to age and then the children to have the ewe sheep and the lamb and the increase of these sheepe."

Grandchild, John Linsey, his brother Eleazer, minors, sheep. To grandchildren Eleazer Linsy's children, when of age, sheep and their increase.

To Martha Miller and her child Martha Mills(er), "sheep at Michaelmas."

Residue to wife and at her death to such children as she sees most need.

Witnesses, Allenor X Lambert, William Bassett, John Ally.

Administration to Mary Alley, the relict, 1-5-1674.

Inventory, 7-12-1673, by William Bassett and John Lewis. House and $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land £14, total £60-17-04. Hugh Alley died 12^{mo.}, 1673.

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1702.

Day.	Mo.	
25.	Jan.	Israel Wood, and daughter Joanna.
"	"	Elizabeth Williams. (Adult.)
"	"	Eunice, of Henry, Jr. and Susanna (Beedle) Herrick.
"	"	Andrew, of Lot, Jr. and Martha (Cleaves) Conant.
"	"	Margaret, of Edmund and Mary (Low) Groves.

Day.	Mo.	
1.	Feb.	Samuel, of Samuel and Prudence (Dodge) Lovett.
8.	"	Joseph and Hannah, of Joseph, Jr. and Priscilla (Eaton) Dodge.
22.	"	Zachariah, of John and Mary (Herrick) Batchelder.
"	"	Elizabeth, of John and Bethiah Smith.
"	"	Lydia, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Raymond) Hayward.
29.	Mar.	Lydia, of Joseph, 3d, and Elizabeth (Wallis) Morgan.
"	"	Abraham, of Abraham and Lydia (Ropes) Gale.
"	"	Mary, of Robert and Mary (Thistle) Sallows.
12.	Apr.	Bethiah, of Thomas and Bethiah Lovett. "Now living at Casco Bay, and were constrained to Return before another Sabbath."
19.	"	Joseph and Sarah (Hart) Balsh. "Each adult abt 24 year."
"	"	Deborah wife of Joseph Morgan, Sen. "abt 50 yrs. age."
"	"	Thomas, of William and Joannua (Wheeler) Woodberry.
"	"	Ezekiel, of Samuel and Mehitabel (Woodward) Herrick.
"	"	Benjamin, of John and Sarah (Gaines) Creesy.
"	"	Abigail, of Robert and Anna (Ober, deceased) Morgan.
26.	"	Benjamin and Isaac, of Robert and Mary (West) Woodberry.
17.	May.	Mercy and Jemima, of Gabriel and Mercy Wood.
24.	"	Hannah, of Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
"	"	Rebecca, Jonathan, and Elizabeth (Dodge) Herrick.
31.	"	Elizabeth (Thorndike), wife of Samuel Gould.
"	"	Mary Parlour, "a grown maid."
"	"	Benjamin and David, of Cornelius and Abigail (Balsh) Larcom.
28.	June.	Mary, Abigail, and Bethiah, of Joseph, Jr. and Sarah (Hill) Morgan.
"	"	Sarah, of Joseph, Sen. and Deborah Morgan, "abt 10 yr old."
"	"	Abigail, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Herrick.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sallows) Trask.

Day.	Mo.	
5.	July.	Joseph, of Joseph and Mercy (Chubb) Tree.
19.	"	William, of Walter and Anna (Gale) Shaw.
2.	Aug.	Samuel and Elizabeth, of Samuel and Elizabeth (Thorndike) Gould.
23.	"	Rebecca and Esther, of Joseph and Rebecca (Harris) Butman.
"	"	Martha and Ruth, of Ebenezer and Hannah (Dodge) Woodberry.
30.	"	Joanna, of John, Jr. and Elizabeth (Ober) Balsh.
"	"	Sarah, of Richard and Ruth (Dodge) Ingerson.
13.	Sept.	Ebenezer, of Ebenezer and Lydia (Nowell) Dodge.
"	"	Susanna, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
20.	"	Benjamin, Mary, and Esther, of Robert and Deborah (Plumb) Roundy.
"	"	Jonathan, of Nehemiah and Lydia Stone.
"	"	Margaret, of Nathaniel and Anna (Rich, <i>née</i> Balsh) Wallis.
11.	Oct.	Josiah, Nehemiah, and Margaret, of Nehemiah and Susanna (Low, of Ipswich) Wood.
"	"	Peter, Mehitabel, and Sarah, of John and Sarah (Morrill) Ellingwood.
"	"	Israel, of John and Hannah (Woodberry) Ober.
"	"	Mary, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
18.	"	Jonathan, of James and Rebecca (Biles) Patch.
"	"	Benjamin, of Joseph and Sarah (Hart) Balsh.
"	"	Joseph and Jane, of George and Jane (Stacy) Standley.
"	"	Rebecca, of Joseph, 3d, and Elizabeth (Wallis) Morgan.
1.	Nov.	Samuel, James, Jonathan, Nehemiah, Josiah, and Hannah, of Hazadiah and Anna (Woodberry) Smith.
"	"	Sarah, of Samuel and Mary Bishop.
"	"	Elizabeth, of John and Sarah Clark.
8.	"	Anna, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Herrick.
15.	"	John, Sarah, and Hannah, of Moses and Sarah (Dodge) Gage.
22.	"	Samuel, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach) Herrick.
"	"	Ruth, of Lot and Elizabeth (Pride) Conant.

Day.	Mo.	
22.	Nov.	Phebe, of Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
"	"	Abigail, of Caleb and Sarah (Stone) Wallis.
"	"	Elizabeth, of John and Mary (Giles) Wheeler.
6.	Dec.	Ebenezer and Roger, of Roger and Mary (Raymond) Conant.
"	"	Joseph, of Samuel and Elizabeth (Thorndike) Gould.
"	"	Judith, of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Conant) Raymond.
"	"	Bethiah, of John and Mary (Pride) Lovett.
13.	"	Samuel, Joseph, Josiah, and Susanna, of Samuel and Susanna Trask.
"	"	Susanna, of Nehemiah and Susanna (Low) Wood.

1703.

10.	Jan.	John, Nicholas, Benjamin, Priscilla, and Elizabeth, of Benjamin and Susanna (La Grove) Patch.
8.	Feb.	Benjamin, Nathaniel, and Jonathan, of Solomon and Cole.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Edmund and Eleanor Ashby.
21.	"	Robert, of Robert and Elizabeth (Clark) Hale.
28.	"	Benjamin, of Benjamin and Anna Lovett.
"	"	Elizabeth, of John and Sarah (Shaw) Tuck.
28.	Mar.	Hugh, of William and Joanna (Wheeler) Woodbury.
"	"	John, of Moses and Mary Fluant.
4.	Apr.	George, of George and Bridgett (Horrell) Gray.
18.	"	Francis, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Goodhue) Dodge. (First wife.)
"	"	Nathaniel, of Samuel Lee, of Manchester.
"	"	William, of Thomas and Hannah Cox.
"	"	Mary, of Benjamin and Mary (Johnson) Parnell.
12.	Sept.	Joanna, of John and Joanna (Dodge) Thorndike.
"	"	Rebecca, of Israel and Anna (Woodberry) Wood.
16.	Oct.	Rebecca, of John and Rebecca Standley.
24.	"	Humphrey, of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Smith) Horrell.
31.	"	Hannah, of Joseph and Rebecca (Woodberry) Corning.
7.	Nov.	Benjamin, of Benjamin, alias Samuel, and Susanna Trask.

Day.	Mo.	
12.	Dec.	Gould, of Jonathan and Abigail Bishop.
19.	"	George, of George and Mary (Morrill) Tuck.

1704.

2.	Jan.	Nicholas, of Peter and Hannah (Winter) Groves.
"	"	Jonathan, of Joseph, Jr. and Sarah (Hill) Morgan.
16.	"	Pyam, of (Rev) Thomas and Emma (widow of Andrew Woodberry, <i>née</i> Eliot) Blowers, "born ye Wednesday before ab ^t 10 clk before noon."
6.	Feb.	Deborah, of Ebenezer and Lydia (Nowell) Dodge.
"	"	Eunice, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell) Griggs.
"	"	Anna, of John and Sarah (Morrill) Ellingwood.
13.	"	Deborah, of John and Deborah Baker.
20.	"	Nathaniel, of John and Bethiah (Woodberry) Batchelder.
19.	Mar.	Mary, of George and Mary (Morrill) Tuck.
26.	"	James, of James and Rebecca (Biles) Patch.
"	"	Sarah, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Raymond.
2.	Apr.	Elizabeth, of Hezekiah and Anna (Morgan) Ober.
30.	"	Noah, of Samuel and Prudence (Dodge) Lovett.
"	"	John, of Benjamin and Anna Lovett.
14.	May.	Joseph, of Joseph and Sarah (Reith) Tuck. (The mother a native of Marblehead.)
"	"	Hannah, of Walter and Hannah (Gale) Shaw.

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THE HIGGINSONS IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

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THE COTTON HIGGINSONS.

JOHN HIGGINSON of Cotton, co. Salop, yeoman, son of John, of Berkeswell, and brother of Thomas. From his will dated 25 Oct., 1575; proved at Lichfield, 30 Sept., 1577: To be buried in parish church of Wem; to Margery Hig-

genson nowe my Wyff my dwelling house in Wem and certain goods; —

Jane Higgenson and Margaret Higgenson two "of my natural daughters."

Margery my wyff executrix.

Witnesses, Tho^s Bostock, John Higginson Tho^s Higginson Tho^s. yemens —

Debts by John Modye,* John Newport, Rich^d Donne, Margaret Tewe, John Anderson, Alan Chynton, Alan Higgenson, John Wyxytyd, Maude Higgenson, Jane Higgenson, W^m Welch.

Debts to W^m Menlove, John Hewes.

Inventory by Nouduff Sinkon, Tho^s Bostocke John Hawes and Robert Sherot.

In assigning this John as the brother of Thomas of Berkeswell, I am led by the belief that the Alan, Jane and Maude Higginson, named in the list of debts, together with perhaps others there named, are children of the deceased who have had their portion.

Children :

? Allen, "the clerke." He was buried at Wem 13 Aprill 1597. He is called cousin, i.e. nephew, by Thomas the son of John of Berkeswell. Alan Hickynson, B.A. 18 Jan., 1552/3, as Higgins, fellow Baliol College, Oxford, 1557-60, M.A., July, 1557.

? John }
? Thomas } witnesses to the will and perhaps sons.

Jane }
? Maude } mentioned in inventory.

Margery Higginson, widow, was buried at Wem, 20 June, 1586.

Margery Higginson, widow, buried at Wem 16 July, 1597.

Margeret Higginson, widow, buried at Wem, 10 Feb., 1597/8.

Indenture between John Farneham, Esq., one of the gentlemen pensioners of the Queen, and John Higginson, of Cotton, Salop, yeoman, who obtains the free chapell of Lyn-

* John Moody, of Wem, had daughter Dorothy, who m. 1558, Thos Barnes. Their son Thomas m. Elzb. daughter of Richard Higginson. — *Garbet*.

ley and all rights, etc., as the said Farneham had gift of the Queen, 7 March, 19 Elizabeth, to be held of her manor of Eltham in the county of Kent, and not in chief nor by knight's service, and paying yearly two shillings rent, 15 May, 19 Elizabeth (1576). Close Rolls, 19 Elizabeth, part 23.

JOHN HIGGINSON, of Cotton, called the elder, married at Wem, 25th Jan., 1584/5, Mary Hinton. Mary the wife of John Higginson, buried 20 Sept., 1589, and he married second Rose

They had the following children baptized at Wem :

— cell, 28 Jan., 1584/5.

Christopher, 28 March, 1586.

Rendell, 6 March, 1586/7.

William, 20 Aug., 1590; buried 27 Dec., 1590.

Elizabeth, 27 July, 1592.

Rose, 28 March, 1596.

Roland, 30 April, 1598.

William, 5 Sept., 1599: buried 25 Nov., 1599.

Administration on the estate of the above John was granted 13 June, 1608, to Rose Hyggynson, the relict. Inventory the 29 May, 1608, by Allen Hotchkiss, John Bruyon, John Higginson,* Francis Sault. Bond on file for the tuition of the children John, Rowland, Elisabeth, and Rose.

GREGORY HYGGINSON, of Great Packington, Warwick, son of John of Berkeswell.

His will, made 2 March, 1555, proved at Lichfield 20 April, 1556, directs that his body shall be buried in church of St. James in Packington; to the box of the poor people fourpence, to the cathedral church at Lichfield one penny; to my child that my wife now goeth with, seven pounds; to Gregory Geyre, to John, son of John Geyre, the elder, to Elizabeth and Agnes Geyre. Rest to Joys, my wife, whom

* Was he John Higginson, "the younger," of Cotton, who was having children at this period?

executrix. Overseers Thomas Hyggynson and John Mylys, both of Berkswell, my brethren, who also witness the will. Inventory, 18 April, 1555, by George Rayles and John Ind, £13.

Great Packington is ten miles northeast of Solihull and ten miles northwest of Coventry. Hampton in Arden is between Solihull and Berkeswell.

Child unborn, who to a certainty is Gregorie Hygginson, of Hampton in Arden, who made his will 2 July, 1590, which was proved at Lichfield, 16 June, 1591. To be buried in the churchyard at Hampton; to the poor, to my mother-in-law and then to Joyce, my daughter; son Thomas; wife Anne executrix, and to bring up the children. Overseers and witnesses, Thomas Robinson, Nicholas Williams, Nicholas Tomson, Thomas Barlow. In the list of debts are mentioned John Mills of Berkeswell, mother-in-law Isabel Fuefort, "his own mother," and to Thomas Minor, Nicholas Pratt, Thomas Smith of Bradnock, George Mathew, the elder, of Morcote, John Wayt of Beckwill, John Hopkins. Inventory, 4 July, 1590, by Edward Haward, gent, Thomas Minor, Wm. Whaberley, yeo., and Nicholas Williams, husbandmen. Debts due from James Robinson of Berkeswell, Hewghe Higginson of Berkeswell, Richard Wild of Berkeswell.

(Hugh Higginson is also mentioned in the will of Thomas of Berkeswell. Query, if he is not a son of Nicholas, son of John.)

NICHOLAS HIGGINSON, son of John of Berkeswell, at the time of his father's death living in Wem, and trustee for a small legacy for Agnes Higginson, which his father had received for her benefit from her father.

No trace of Nicholas is found in the parish records of Wem, nor has his will been found. He is mentioned in the will of his brother Thomas, of Berkeswell, in 1573.

It would appear that he left Wem and settled near Berkeswell or in some part of Leicestershire. He probably died in Claybrook in April, 1581.

It is more than probable that he was the father of

Hugh, of Berkeswell.

Rev. John, of Claybrook, who named one of his sons Nicholas.

Nicholas, of Leire, who died 1589, and probably others.

Nicholas Higginson, of Leire, is known from his will to have been a brother to Rev. John Higginson, of Claybrook.

The parish register of Claybrook, under date of 11 April, 1581, records the burial of a Nicholas Higginson.

Rev. John Higginson was instituted rector at Claybrook, in 1572. He named two of his sons Nicholas, one of whom died in infancy, but later than 1594. He also had a grandson named Nicholas. As far as observed, the name has not appeared in other branches of the Higginson family.

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ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

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97. Elizabeth³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). She married a Stevens and was alive at her father's death. As yet I have failed to find anything more.

98. Lydia³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born about 1692, and died before her father. Married, 9-25-1712, Joseph Clarke, son of Major John Clarke and Rebecca Beaumont, grandson of John Clarke and Rebeckah Parker, and great-grandson of John Clarke. He was born 1-23-1692, at Saybrook, Conn.

Children on Saybrook records:

522. Joseph Clarke, born 1-25-1714.

523. Rebeckah Clarke, born 6-5-1716.

524. Lydia Clark, born 5-4-1718.

There may have been more.

98a. Rebecca³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). I *know* nothing more, but I find a Rebecca Highy marries John Doude, 2d (in Doude Genealogy), and had :

- 525. Elizabeth⁴ Doude, 1738.
- 526. John Doude, 3d, 1739, died 1824.
- 527. Rebecca Doude, born 1740, died 1797.
- 528. Mary Doude, born 1743.
- 529. Rely Doude, born 1744, died about 1806.

99. Sarah³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Married, April 29, 1717, — Brookes: (I have lost the first name.) I know nothing more.

100. Jemima³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born Jan. 26, 1704-5, died Feb. 3, 1762. Married, March 4, 1724, to Abraham Chalker, born May 1, 1699, and died Sept. 20, 1783. He was the son of Abraham Chalker, Sen., and was lieutenant of the Saybrook Train Band. His grandfather, Alexander Chalker, was killed in the Narragansett fight.

Besides others :

- 530. Jemima⁴ Chalker, born Aug. 2, 1726.

101. Daniel³ Grinnell (Lydia² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Saybrook, 1707. I feel sure he died young, as he or his heirs are not mentioned in his father's will. I feel sure that there is an error in the Buckingham Genealogy. It says, "Deacon Jedidiah Chapman of Westbrook, son of Major Jedidiah and Hester (Kirkland) Buckingham, born Dec. 15, 1726. Married Mary Grinnell, daughter of *Daniel*, in the year 1755." I feel sure she is daughter of George (Daniel), born 1731.

102. Hannah⁴ Bradford (Elizabeth³ Rogers, Elizabeth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury Feb. 14, 1689. Died probably in Berkeley after 1757, where her husband made his will. She married in Duxbury, June 16, 1709, "Nathaniel⁴ Gilbert of Taunton," son of Thomas³ (Thomas,²

John¹) and Anna (Black) Gilbert. He was born July 12, 1683. His will is dated June 2, 1757.

"In the name of God, Amen. I, Nathaniel Gilbert of Berkeley, in the county of Bristol in New England, Gentlemen, this second day of June, Anno Domini 1757, & in the thirtieth year of his Majesty's Reign, George ye Second, ye King, being through God's goodness, advanced to old age, but still of a sound judgment, and disposing mind, thanks be to God, therefore, and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain this, and no other to be my last will and Testament.

"Principally, and above all, I give and Recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it in hopes of Salvation through Christ ye Redeemer, and my body to the Earth for a decent and Christian burial, at the discretion of my executors, hereafter named, hoping & trusting that at the general resurrection of the just to receive the same by ye Almighty power of God, and as touching such worldly estate God has blessed me with, I give bequeath & dispose of the same in manner & form following, viz.

"First, my will is that my just debts & funeral charges be paid by one of my executor hereafter named, viz. my son Samuel out of what I give him in this will.

"I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Hannah, the improvement of one third part of all my real estate as ye law hath endowed her with during her life. I also give sd wife ye improvement of one cow, during her said life. I also give sd wife, the sole improvement of all my household goods, during sd natural life, and all in lieu of dower, out of my estate.

"I give and bequeath to my eldest son Thomas Gilbert, and to his heirs, and assigns forever, all my purchase rights in ye old township of Taunton, viz, half a right which was my honored father's, Mr Thomas Gilbert's, and half a purchase right I bought of Thomas Danforth, and one quarter

of a right I bought of John Newland, and one whole right in Taunton old township, so called, bought of Palmer Doughty with all lands & rights to land & commonage in sd propriety to fuller divisions, and I also confirm & ratify all lands & titles to lands I have given said son Thomas by deed, heretofore conveyed, together with three acres and a half in land in sd Berkley (Taunton Proprietary measure) & is the premises he conveyed to me laying near a place called the Ridge of Trees on the Southeast side of the highway leading from Israel Tisdale's to pole plain, said son Thomas to have & to hold the same, to him, his heirs & assigns forever, and this with what I have heretofore given him by deeds of gift is his sole proportion out of my estate, with what is given him hereafter in this will.

"I give & bequeath to my grandson Nathaniel Gilbert, son of my son Nathaniel, late of said Taunton, but now deceased, the whole of my tract of land in sd Taunton lying on ye East-side of Taunton Great River, between the ways leading from ye Ware Bridge, towards James Coopers, and from sd Coopers to the way leading to the dwelling of Seth Williams, Esq. & adjoyns to land where I have buried two daughters.

"I give sd grandson all sd piece of land adjoyning together containing about nine acres more or less, he to have & hold the same to him, his heirs & assigns, forever (always excepting about three quarters of an acre of sd land in the fork of the said paths, near to & adjoyning, and where several of my children are buried, & lay principally in ye most convenient place on the Southwest side of the Hill next to sd way leading from sd bridge to sd Coopers, which three quarters of an acre is always to be for the publick use of a burying place, not only myself & posterity, but also for the Christian neighborhood.

"I also give sd grandson Nathaniel his heirs, & assigns forever, a certain piece of cedar swamp in Taunton old township, and in the great cedar swamp, so called of about nine acres, and lays to the the east of a lott called Thrashers (?) & runs from the upland to extent to the line called ye North

Purchase Line, which piece of Swamp descended to me from my honoured father Thomas Gilbert. I also give sd grandson Nathaniel & his heirs & assigns forever, a certain piece of land in said Berkley containing about seven acres, & lays on a plain called Pole plain, and adjoyns to the land of Samuel Dean, James Harvey & the way leading over Pole plain & is all the land I have in sd plain, adjoining to the way, sd Nathaniel to have & to hold the same, provided he pay to his brother George Gilbert, his heirs or assigns, the sum of six pounds when said grandson George shall arrive at the age of twenty one years, but if failure be made of said payment, then said last mentioned lands to be & remain to sd George his heirs and assigns forever.

"And I also give to my grandson George, son of my sd Son Nathaniel, the six pound ordered to be paid by his brother Nathaniel, but if the sd Nathaniel do not make payment of sd six pounds to said George when he arrives at twenty one years of age, then sd George to enter and hold sd seven acres, his heirs & assigns forever, and what is above given to sd Nathaniel, & George, with what I gave their father by deeds & otherwise in his lifetime is the whole of what I intend to give the children & representatives of sd. Nathaniel dec'd.

"I give to my son Samuel Gilbert of said Berkley all & singular my mansion, house, lands, & premises laying in said Berkley, including the lands, I purchased of Thos. Gilbert, Esq^r. heretofore Malicai Holloways, and all the lands I purchased of sd Samuel by deed, heretofore belonging to Bezaleel Thrasher including the land I purchased of Nathaniel Townsend called twenty two acres, in the whole about one hundred & forty acres, more or less, with all the appurtenances on sd lands belonging, as also eight acres of land heretofore granted me on ye late eight acre division laying near to my sd. homestead on ye original rights of Gilbert & Wiat, & all lays in Berkley aforesaid, he sd Samuel to have & to hold the same to him, his heirs & assigns forever as

an absolute estate in fee forever. I also ratify & confirm to sd son his heirs & assigns all ye land I heretofore gave him by deed in ye town of Norton in said County. I also give sd Samuel the desk he has in possession. I also give sd Samuel all my live stock of cattle, sheep, & swine, and all my live stock including my husbandry tools only, reserving ye cow I have in this will given to my wife, provided sd Samuel perform what I shall order him in this will hereafter named.

"I give & bequeath to ye children of my late daughter Hannah, the wife of Ebenezer Smith deceased, over & above what I gave to said children's father & mother in their lifetime, of my estate real & personal which was considerable. I now give Lemuel Smith, John Smith, & Ebenezer Smith twelve pence each to be paid them by my son Samuel Gilbert, after my decease; & to Mary Smith daughter of my said Hannah deceased, I give her four Spanish milled dollars, to be paid her within twelve months after my decease by my son Samuel: To Sybil wife of Doget one other of my said granddaughters I give her twelve pence, to be paid her by my son Samuel, she having heretofore received her portion from me. I give to my granddaughter Hannah four Spanish milled dollars, to be paid her within two years after my decease by my son Samuel; & to Abigail one of my granddaughters, & daughter of my late daughter Hannah Smith, I give her four Spanish milled dollars to be paid her within four years after my decease, by my son Samuel.

"I give & bequeath to my daughter Mary Godfrey of Norton. I give her all & singular the swamp & right to swamp in the Great Cedar Swamp so called in sd county & in ye old township of Taunton called ye Burnt Ground in both divisions which descends & belongs to me in ye original right of dower & this is over & above what I have heretofore given her, & furthermore I give her twenty six pounds thirteen shillings & four pence lawful money to be

paid her by my said son Samuel within twelve months after my decease, and she sd Mary to have & to hold the same to her heirs and assigns forever.

"I give and bequeathe to my daughter Welthea wife of Ebenezer Hathaway, Junr. over and above what she has already received of me. I further give her twenty six pounds, thirteen shillings & four pence lawful money to be paid her by my sd son Samuel within two years after my decease, & further, I give all & singular the goods & chattels that I have above given to my wife as above that she shall die seized of & not in her lifetime disposed of to be equally divided between my two daughters, Mary & Welthea.

"And also I give to sd son Thomas his heirs & assigns all & singular the lands due to me on former divisions in the old township of Taunton within the said county. not before disposed of in this will & the original right of sd Doughty the swamp given to my dau Mary only excepted. All other estate, real or personal goods, chattels, rights and credits not otherwise disposed of in this will, & of which I shall die seized of, I give to sd son Samuel his heirs & assigns forever & he to pay my just debts & funeral charges & to provide gravestones for my grave after my decease.

"And last of all, I constitute and appoint my said sons Thomas Gilbert & Samuel Gilbert to be my executors to this my said will & testament, & do by these presents utterly revoke, make void all former wills & testaments by me heretofore made, and all executors heretofore before this date named, & do ordain this & no other to be my last will & Testament. In Witness whereof, I, the sd Nathaniel Gilbert have hereinunto set my hand & seal the day & year first before mentioned.

"NATHANIEL GILBERT. (Seal.)

"Signed, sealed, published, pronounced & declared to be ye last will & testament of Capt. Nathaniel Gilbert in presence of us the subscribers.

"Ebenezer Stephens.

"Nathan Crane.

"Katherine Cobb.

"James Williams."

Children born in Taunton :

531. Thomas ⁴ Gilbert.

532. Hannah Gilbert.

533. Mary Gilbert.

534. Nathaniel Gilbert.

535. Samuel Gilbert.

536. Welthea Gilbert.

537. Daughter, died before her father.

538. Daughter, " " " "

And others died young.

(To be continued.)

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PRESTON, CONN., RECORDS OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

(Continued from page 172.)

Daniell Morgan m. 24 Dec. 1730 Elizabeth Gates, and had Hannah b. 14 Sept. 1731, Elisabet b. 28 Feb'y 173 $\frac{3}{4}$, Desier b. 27 Feb'y 173 $\frac{5}{6}$, Zipporah b. 15 Feb'y 173 $\frac{7}{8}$, Huld'y b. 31 July 1740, d. 14 Dec. 1740, Eunis b. 3 May 1742.

"John Bennet." John Bennet Jun^r. m. 15 June 1716 Mary Clark, and had Mary b. 27 May 1717.

"The age of John Greens Children." John b. 16 Sept. 1725, William b. 3 Sept. 1731, Winter (son) b. 10 Nov. 1733, Christopher b. 5 Oct. 1735, David b. 22 Nov. 1737, Mary b. 13 Feb'y 17 $\frac{39}{40}$, Betty b. 26 June 1744.

(43)* "Robert Busell." Moses b. 17 May 1701, d. 24 Aug. 1704, Hanah b. 24 May 1705.

"John Wilkeson." John, son of John & Hannah, b. 8 May 1713.

* These references are to old paging.

NOTE.— Quotation marks are used to mark any peculiarities in the record.

Esther Morgan, dau. of Danⁿ. & Elizabeth, b. 24 Mch. 1744, Danⁿ. b. 12 Sept. 1746, Elisha b. 9 Nov. 1748, Nathan b. 16 Apr. 1751.

"Stephen Gates his children." Sarah b. 10 Nov. 1696, Jemime b. 15 Jan'y 169⁸/₉, Isaac b. 28 Dec. 1701, Elizabeth b. — Feb'y 170⁴/₅, Suzannah b. — Feb'y 170⁶/₇.

James Tyler Jun^r. m. 7 Oct. 1731, Hester Bishup, and had Hester b. 9 Sept. 1732, Samuel "son of James Tyler & Ester his wife" b. 21 Aug. 1734.

(44) "John Parish." Mary b. 8 Oct. 1704, Abigail b. 25 Mch. 1708, Dorithey b. 7 June 1710.

"Ezekiell Parke." Ezekiel Parke m. Marcy Safford 20 Sept. 1716, and had Zebulun b. 10 Mch. 1718, Solomon b. 16 June 1719.

Daniel Williams m. 13 Feb'y 171⁶/₇ Sarah Chapil.

"Daniel William's his Children." David b. 28 Dec. 1719, Isaac b. 4 Feb'y 1722, Anne b. 29 Sept. 1723, Sarah b. 29 May 1725, Margret b. "20th fay 172⁶/₇," Elisabeth b. 26 Feb'y 172⁸/₉, Boaz b. 6 Aug. 1730, Daniel b. 26 May 1732, Ezra b. 16 Feb'y 1734, Peter b. 2 Sept. ("february y^e 16" has been erased) 1736, Olive b. 9 May 1738.

(45) "Daniel Woodward" "his son" "William Richards." Benjeman Woodward b. 28 Sept. 1704, Eunec (dau.) b. 8 Mch. 1707.

William Richards m. 16 Oct. 1707 Lidia Adams, and had Lidia b. 10 May 1711, Elisabeth b. 8 Mch. 1714, William b. 28 Oct. 1716, Mehetable b. 28 Jan'y 171⁸/₉, Bethiah (dau.) b. 4 Apr. 1721, Hannah b. — Apr. 1723, Mehetabel d. 7 Oct. 1743. "The above named Will^m Richards" d. 16 May 1724.

John Hatch m. "last day of August 1726" Jerusha Herrick, and had John b. 9 June 1727, Elisabeth b. 12 May 1731, Benjamin b. 23 Aug. 1733, Rufus b. 5 Dec. 1735, Joseph b. 13 May 1738, Jerusha b. 29 Aug. 1740, Eunis b. 16 June 1746. "The sd John Hatch Sen^r." d. 18 Dec. 1751.

(46) "Samuell Herrick." "Ephraim Herrick Jun^r."

Esther Morgan, dau. of Dan. & Elizabeth, b. 24 March 1744, Dan. b. 12 Sept. 1746, Emma b. 9 Nov. 1748, Nathan b. 16 Apr. 1751.

"Stephen (after his children." Sarah b. 10 Nov. 1686, Jonathan b. 15 Jan'y 1688, Isaac b. 28 Dec. 1701, Elizabeth b. — Feb'y 1707, Hannah b. — Feb'y 1707.

James Tyler, Jun., m. 7 Oct. 1741, Heester Bishop, and had Hunter b. 9 Sept. 1753, Samuel, son of James Tyler & Esther his wife, b. 21 Aug. 1754.

(44) "John Parish," Mary b. 8 Oct. 1702, Abigail b. 22 March 1708, Timothy b. 7 June 1710.

"Elizabeth Foster," Elizabeth Foster m. Henry Safford 30 Sept. 1716, and had Nathan b. 10 March 1718, Solomon b. 16 June 1719.

David Williams m. 12 Feb'y 1717 Sarah (Capt.

"David Williams his children." David b. 28 Dec.

1716, Isaac b. 4 Feb'y 1717, Anna b. 29 Sept. 1722, Sarah

b. 20 May 1725, Margaret b. 7 Nov. Dec. 1727, Elizabeth b. 20

Feb'y 1731, Ben. b. 8 Aug. 1730, Daniel b. 20 May 1732,

Esau b. 12 Feb'y 1734, Peter b. 2 Sept. 1736, Timothy b. 16

has been married 1736, Oliver b. 9 May 1738.

(45) "David H. and wife" son m. William H. b.

side. Benjamin Williams b. 27 Sept. 1704, James

(dau.) b. 8 March 1707.

William Richards m. 16 Oct. 1707 Elizabeth and

had John b. 10 May 1711, Elizabeth b. 8 March 1713,

William b. 25 Oct. 1716, Nicholas b. 28 Jan'y 1719,

Rebecca (dau.) b. 4 April 1721, Hannah b. — Feb'y 1722,

Michael b. 7 Oct. 1742. "The above named 1742, 1743,

etc." b. 16 May 1744.

John Hines m. "last day of August 1728" Benjamin H.

rick, and had John b. 9 June 1737, Elizabeth b. 12 May

1737, Benjamin b. 28 Aug. 1739, Reuben b. 2 Dec. 1732,

Joseph b. 12 May 1738, James b. 23 Aug. 1740, Eunice b.

16 June 1746. "The sd John Hines was" d. 18 Dec. 1751.

(46) "Samuel Hendrick," Benjamin Hendrick Jun.,

Samuel Herrick Jun^r. b. 24 Mch. 1703, Stephen b. 12 Feb'y 170 $\frac{5}{8}$, Daniell b. 9 Dec. 1708, Joseph b. 1 May 1711, Keziah b. 30 Apr. 1715.

Ephraim Herrick Jun^r. m. 19 Feby 171 $\frac{8}{9}$ Rahell ffellows, and had Isaac b. 16 Dec. 1719, Abigall b. 21 Oct. 1721, Ephraim b. 10 Nov. 1725, Andrew b. 10 Feb'y 172 $\frac{8}{9}$, Phineas b. 3 Apr., 1730, Rachal, b. 19 Mch. 1732, Nathan b. 21 Mch. 1734, Elisabeth b. 15 Mch. 1736, Esther Herrick b. 16 Apr. 1738. (The name Abram Herrick is partially crossed out, and the rest overwritten with name Esther, done at the time of original entry as the second writing of "Herrick" shows; and the child is called a "daughter.") Elijah b. 15 Aug. 1740.

(47) "Thomas Gatts." Thomas Gats m. — Dec. 1695 Margrat Gears. Robart Gates b. 3 Oct. 1696, Zebadiah b. 4 Sept. 1699, Prudence b. 26 May 1703, Daniell b. 21 Apr. 1707, Thomas b. 15 June 1709, Margret b. 4 Mch. 171 $\frac{1}{2}$.

"Thomas Rix." Thomas Rix m. 26 June 1718 Jerusha Tracy, and had Deborah b. 9 July 1720, James b. 16 June 1723, Thomas b. 13 Dec. 1725, Jerusha b. 6 Apr. 1728, Sarah b. 7 Sept. 1730, Margret b. 16 Sept. 1732, Theophilus b. 9 Dec. 1734, Daniell b. 24 Sept. 1738. "The above Named M^r. Thomas Rix" d. 10 Oct. 1771.

(48) "John Freeman." John Freeman m. 5 Feb'y 170 $\frac{5}{8}$ Abigell Witter, and had Dorithy b. 30 Mch. 1709, Elizebeth b. 27 Oct. 1710, John b. 16 Dec. 1712, Ebenezer b. 28 Nov. 1714, Abigall b. 14 Feb'y 171 $\frac{8}{9}$, Sarah b. 14 Dec. 1724. "The above sd John Freeman" d. 25 June 1725.

"Samuell ffox." Sam^l ffox, son of Sam^l & Mary, b. 15 June 1724, John b. 24 Dec 1731.

Jeremiah Hatch m. 19 Jan'y 172 $\frac{7}{8}$ Lidia Rix, and had Jeremiah b. 2 Feb'y 172 $\frac{8}{9}$, Nathan b. 30 Sept. 1738. "The above named Lidia Hatch" d. 23 Jan'y 1772.

(49) Thomas Aueriell m. 27 Jan'y 170 $\frac{1}{2}$ Mary Baker. Ebenezer b. 1 Dec. 1702, John b. 26 June 1705, Mary b. 9 Mch. 1707, Paul b. 20 Mch. "17 $\frac{3}{8}$," Jchabud b. 25 May 1710, Hannah b. 20 Aug. 1713.

Sarah Bennet, dau. of Samⁿ. & Sarah, b. 29 Sept. 1715, Samⁿ b. 5 June 1719, Unis b. 5 May 1721, James b. 6 Nov. 1722; Jane "Daughter of ye s^d. Samⁿ. Bennet and his Second wife Jane was bor" 17 Sept. 1724.

John Wheeler Jun^r. m. 6 Dec. 1732 Dorothy Stanton, and had Samuel b. 23 Jan'y 173 $\frac{3}{4}$.

"Phineas Gates ye Son of" is erased.

(50) "Joseph Parke was Married february 171 $\frac{0}{9}$." "Rachell Pain ye Daughter of ye wife of Joseph Parke was Born" 18 Aug. 1708. "Joseph Parke Son of ye s^d. Joseph Parke" b. 23 Sept. 1712, Saras (his dau.) b. 3 Nov. 1710, Mary (his dau.) b. 24 Feb'y 1715.

"Joseph Witter." Joseph Witter m. 13 Aug. 1722 Elisabeth Goer, and had Samuell b. 28 May 1723, Joseph b. 15 Dec. 1724, Ezra b. 22 Jan'y 172 $\frac{3}{4}$, Hannah b. 8 Oct. 1730, Ebenezer b. 11 Sept. 1732, Eunice b. 8 Dec. 1747.

"Josiah Smith Child." Oliver Smith, son of Josiah & Amma, b. 8 Feb'y 172 $\frac{9}{10}$, Nathaniel b. 20 Nov. 1731, Benjamin b. 22 Oct. 1733, Jonah b. 28 Jan'y 173 $\frac{5}{6}$.

(51) "Daniell fitch of mohegen" m. 7 Mch. 1698 Mary Sherrod. Adonija b. — Apr. 1700, Jams b. 18 Oct. 1702, Lemuell b. — Jan'y 170 $\frac{3}{4}$, Mary b. — Sept. 1707.

Elieazer Park m. 4 Feb'y 171 $\frac{2}{3}$ Eliphel Batten, and had Sarah b. 18 Jan'y 171 $\frac{7}{8}$, Elisabeth b. 16 Aug. 1719. Ebenezer b. 23 Apr. 1721, Rubin b. 27 Feb'y 172 $\frac{3}{4}$, Peter b. 27 Nov. 1725, Unes b. 19 Feb'y 172 $\frac{7}{8}$, Simeon b. 21 Mch. 1730, Assas (son) b. 4 Feb'y 1732, Abijah b. 24 May 1734, Elijah b. 23 Jan'y 173 $\frac{5}{6}$, Mary b. 13 Nov. 1737. "The above s^d. Eliezar Park" d. 14 Nov. 1769.

Joseph Clark m. 10 Dec. 1730 Elisabeth Wheeler, and had Joseph b. 22 Dec. 1732, Elizabeth b. 30 Dec. 1734, Deborah b. 13 Mch. 1737. "The above s^d. Elizabith Clark Jun^r." d. 31 Dec. 1750.

(52) "Hugh Amos." "Hugh Amos of Preston" d. 4 Dec. 1707. "Hannah Ames ye wife of Hugh Ames Dyed ye last of August 1714."

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MARRIAGE NOTICES, FOR THE WHOLE UNITED STATES, 1785—1794.

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- Reed, Joshua. By the Rev. Mr. Holmes, Mr. J. R. to Miss Susannah Boardman, both of Cambridge. (S. March 1, 1794.)
- Reed, Lydia, m. Capt. John Lyon.
- Reed, Dr. William. [In this town] by the Rev. Dr. Walter, Dr. W. R. to Miss Eliza Hall, daughter to Mr. Stephen Hall, of this town. (W. Jan. 9, 1793.)
- Rees, James. [At Philadelphia] Mr. J. R. to Miss Eliza Reynolds. (S. Nov. 17, 1792.)
- Reinecker, Clarinda, m. Cornelius Howard Gist.
- Relse, Nancy, m. Henry Doggett.
- Remington, Rev. Jesse. At Deerfield, Rev. J. R. of Condia, to Miss Polly Jennes. (W. Dec. 4, 1793.)
- Revere, Fanny, m. Thomas Eayres.
- Rexford, Jordan. At Marblehead, Mr. J. R., an *itinerent Methodist preacher*, of Connecticut, to Mrs. Sarah Barker, of that town. (W. May 7, 1794.)
- Reynolds, Edward. Mr. E. R. to Miss Debby Belcher. (S. June 26, 1790.)
- Reynolds, Eliza, m. James Rees.
- Reynolds, George. At Salem, Mr. G. R. to Miss Nabby Ervin. (W. Jan. 2, 1793.)
- Reynolds, Patty, m. Rev. Mr. Barcom.
- Reynolds, Polly, m. Rev. Mr. Kinsbury.
- Rhea, Sally, m. Nathaniel Cabot Higginson.
- Rhodes, Amos. At Lynn, Mr. A. R., merchant, to Miss Elizabeth W. Parsons. (S. June 28, 1794.)
- Rhodes, Capt. Zechariah. Capt. Z. R. to Miss Betsey Rea. (S. March 26, 1785.)

- Rice, John. Mr. J. R., aged 19, to Miss Elizabeth Wheelock, aged 21. (W. Dec. 1, 1790.)
- Rice, John. Mr. J. R., a bachelor, near 70 years of age, of a respectable character and fortune, to a young lady of 19, both of Charlotte county, Virginia. (W. Dec. 5, 1792.)
- Rice, Dr. Samuel. At Worcester, Dr. S. R. to Miss Nancy Woodburn. (S. Sept. 21, 1793.)
- Rich, Lydia, m. Charles Clements.
- Richards, Ebenezer. At Newton, Mr. E. R. to Miss Hannah White. (S. May 4, 1793.)
- Richards, George. Mr. G. R. to the amiable Mrs. Sally Wallace. (S. Apr. 22, 1786.)
- Richards, Susanna, m. Josiah Edson.
- Richardson, Abigail, m. Thomas Rumrill.
- Richardson, Nathaniel H. Mr. N. H. R. to Miss Mary Dwight Coverly, . . . of this town. (S. Oct. 5, 1793.)
- Richardson, Richard. Mr. R. R. to Miss Martha Harding, daughter to the late Capt. Thomas Harding, of Charlestown. (W. June 16, 1790.)
- Richardson, Dr. Samuel. At Colrain, Dr. S. R., of Whittingham, to Miss Peggy Morton, of this town. (W. May 23, 1792.)
- Ridgaway, Sukey, m. Peter Gade.
- Ridgway, James. Mr. J. R., of this town, to Mrs. Catharine Stimpson, of Reading. (S. Feb. 5, 1797.)
- Ridgway, James. In this town, Mr. J. R. to Miss Susannah Sumner. (S. Nov. 9, 1793.)
- Ridgway, Joseph, Jun. At Newbury, New-Town, Mr. J. R., Jun., to Miss Eliza Moody. (S. Dec. 27, 1794.)
- Ridgway, Mary, m. Jonathan Wild.
- Ridgway, Samuel. In this town, Mr. S. R. to Mrs. Sarah Greaton, widow of the late Gen. Greaton. (W. Feb. 6, 1793.)
- Riggs, Massy, m. Thomas Wheeler.
- Riley, James. At Baltimore, Mr. J. R. to Miss Ann Lee. (W. April 25, 1792.)

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Rindge, Olive, m. Col. Nathaniel Folsom.

Ringgold, Samuel. [At Philadelphia] Mr. S. R. to Miss Maria Cadwallader. (S. May 19, 1792.)

See, also, Archibald M'Call.

Ripley, John. Mr. J. R. to Miss Jenny Molineaux [both of this town.] (S. Aug. 6, 1791.)

Ripley, Capt. Joseph. Capt. J. R., of Kingston, to Miss Elizabeth Wallis, daughter of Mr. Samuel Wallis, merchant. (S. June 22, 1793.)

In this town implied.

Rittenhouse, John. [In this town] Mr. J. R. to Miss Polly Whitten. (S. April 5, 1794.)

Roach, John. At New York, Mr. J. R., of St. Croix, to Miss Sarah T. Halstead, of that city. (W. Sept. 3, 1794.)

Roach, Nancy, m. Joseph Waldren.

Robbins, Chandler, Jun. At Plymouth, Mr. C. R., Jun., of Hallowell, to Miss Harriot Lothrop. (W. Sept. 18, 1793.)

Robbins, Hannah, m. Benjamin Gilman.

Robbins, Nancy, m. Jacob Thompson.

Robbins, Sukey, m. John Clapp.

Robbins, Susannah, m. Phineas Woodman.

Roberdeau, Capt. At Newbury Port, Capt. R. to Miss Sarrah Tappan, of that place. (W. Aug. 16, 1786.)

Roberson, Nancy, m. Samuel M'Clench.

Roberts, Polly, m. Capt. John Gray.

Robertson, Betsey, m. Samuel Robertson.

Robertson, Joseph. In this town, by the Rev. Docter Stillman, Mr. J. R. to Miss Jenny Beals. (W. Dec. 28, 1791.)

Robertson, Robert, Jun. Mr. R. R., Jun., to Miss Polly Prisely [both of this town.]. (S. Oct. 23, 1790.)

Robertson, Samuel. Mr. S. R. to Miss Betsey Robertson, [both of this town.]. (S. Oct. 23, 1790.)

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NOTES ON SCOTTISH SOURCES OF INFORMATION CONCERNING AMERICAN FAMILIES ORIGINATING IN SCOTLAND.

It is said, and truly, that next to the Puritan element of which New England furnishes the best type, the Covenanting element, descendants of Scottish and Irish emigrants, should be recognized as bringing about the consolidation and advancement of the people of the United States.

So numerous have been the emigrants to America of Scottish ancestry, whether direct or by way of Ireland and England, that it would not be surprising if the people of the United States, not of Continental origin, have equal claims to Scottish and English ancestry.

Setting aside the "Scotch-Irish" element, which has supplied the greater part of the Scottish blood, there were two distinct contributions of Scottish blood to Colonial America.

The earlier and least known was the migration from the east coast towns of Scotland. The other was the migration, chiefly to the south, after the two futile Stuart risings in 1715 and 1745. The change in methods of cultivating estates, the gradual Englishing of the Highlands, rather than participation in the rebellion, was the reason for this later migration.

It is no wonder that with so large a portion of our people bearing Scottish names, and so many more inheriting Scottish blood, Americans should take a lively interest in Scottish genealogy.

Nevertheless the most vague ideas of Scottish genealogy are prevalent in the States.

It is proposed in this paper to describe, briefly, the materials existing from which information may be gained concerning our Scottish ancestors.

The families of Highland and Lowland Scotland had little in common. The clan system and the primitive methods of living prevailing in the Highlands effectually bar genealogical research in that district, except among the more important families of a clan. Even then only students long accustomed to such research can hope to perform any satisfactory work. The bearing of the clan name is not proof of a common origin, for affiliation with a clan was frequently followed by the adoption of the clan name. So, too, in late years, the reverse was to some extent true, for according to Lord Rosebery's preface to Dr. MacLeod's "List of Rebels," "clan names were not so strictly adhered to as is generally supposed."

It is stated (sixth and twelfth detailed reports of the Scottish Registrar-general) that while there are about 6,800 family names in Scotland, one-half of the population are embraced by 150 of the commonest surnames. Of the first fifty common names on the list, twenty-three are well distributed, but the remainder are local.

Thus there are 8,000 Stuarts, 9,500 Campbells, 15,000 M'Donalds, 8,600 Hamiltons, 6,000 Robertsons, as many M'Leans, nearly as many M'Leods and M'Kays, Frasers and Grants, and so on. These great clans are represented the world over, and it is a manifest impossibility to prove the ancestry of an emigrant bearing such common names, unless there is documentary proof as to his relationship with some well-known family in the clan.

Early New England records contain many references to persons who are described as Scots. As a rule these individuals, who were undoubtedly more numerous than generally supposed, came from the coast towns of the Scottish Lowlands, especially to the north of Edinburgh.

The names found on parish registers prior to 1700, of that district, are perfectly familiar American names of to-day, and for the past two centuries.

The same names are found in various parts of England

Many of our New England settlers, as far as their name is concerned, would have been as much at home in Fifeshire as in Devonshire or Kent.

This similarity of nomenclature has, it seems to the writer, been somewhat overlooked by Americans bearing that peculiar class of names, in seeking to locate the home of their emigrant ancestor.

The merchants, craftsmen, and sailors of the Scottish east coast were energetic, skilful, and self-reliant. Moreover, they were of good blood, and could frequently claim near relationship to prominent families of the Scottish nobility. To become a burgher of a town was no disgrace. The wills of the nobility show that younger sons established themselves in the towns for commercial purposes.

The Scotch have been noted for hard common-sense, and it is the Lowland Scotch who have brought that credit upon the whole nation. Undoubtedly we owe much of our freedom from prejudice against an honest occupation to the Scottish elements in our nation.

The east coast of Lowland Scotland is divided into the following commissariats for probate business:

Aberdeen, records commence 1711-15.

Brechin, records commence 1576.

Dunblane and Perth, records commence 1539.

Edinburgh, records commence 1514.

Lauder, records commence 1561.

St. Andrews, records commence 1549.

For Edinburgh the British Record Society has printed a calendar of estates settled, which is being continued by the newly formed Scottish Record Society. This latter society will follow their present work with calendars of other commissariats.

The calendars — there are practically no indexes — are arranged by years, only give the name of testator [if a woman, her maiden name and name of husband] and residence,

sometimes occupation, and date of probate act or administration, etc. The reference is to the register for that period, but the pages, closely written, must be turned over till the month and day and name are found.

Wills are not as satisfactory, on the average, as in either England or America. Land could not be devised, but a deed revocable at will, called "*donatio mortis causa*," was passed by which the heir perfected his title. Such deeds were registered on the death of the grantor. Among the records of the Commissariat Courts are deeds, protests, wills, acts of administration, probate, accounts, inventories, etc.

The records of these courts are preserved in the General Register House at Edinburgh.

Deeds have been recorded from early times. The Sasine records unfortunately are calendared only by references in the "minute books" from which the name of the grantee may be found, together with the location and occasionally other notes of value. The marginal references in the Sasine register rarely give additional information to that of the minute book. It therefore would be necessary to read the two clauses in which the grantor would be mentioned, in every deed, if an exhaustive search was being made, to find the grants of an individual or family. The Sasine records were kept by districts, of which the records are now in the General Registry at Edinburgh.

Insufficient, by reason of lack of indexes, as these records are, they far surpass the sources of information regarding land transfers* in England.

The Sasine records for the eastern coast begin in some instances as early as 1559.

The Books of Council and Session are registers in which are entered deeds of every kind. These records commence in 1554. Records of the Court of the Exchequer also contain many ancient deeds.

* A collection of deeds numbering several thousand, known as the Laing Charters, has been abstracted and indexed, and will soon be published. From an inspection of the proof-sheets it is evident this volume will prove of the greatest value to genealogists.

Of printed records relating to the more important families and Scottish history are the six volumes of the Register of the Great Seal, covering the period 1424-1620, with indexes.

Exchequer Records, beginning about 1300, of which thirteen volumes are already printed.

Treasurer's Accounts, printed from 1473-1498.

Privy Council Records, printed from 1545 to 1619.

Judicial Records of the Court of Session ["Acta dominorum concilis"], two volumes.

Retours [Inquisitiones post-mortem], beginning 1545, have been abstracted and published with indexes. These printed volumes are to be found at every Sasine registry and in most libraries.

There are many series of records, more or less valuable to the genealogist, besides those mentioned above. By far the most important to Americans are the Parish Registers. These are now in the possession of the Registrar at Edinburgh and easily accessible.

A fee of a shilling for each name sought for or entry copied is charged. In case one is somewhat "foggy" as to the particular parish, the officials will permit two or three neighboring parishes to be examined.

An official handbook to the records preserved in this office was printed in 1874, for the use of the office, and a very few copies were given to interested persons. This handbook gives an account of the records of each parish, with remarks concerning them. The Scottish Antiquary, Vols. I.-III., has a similar list.

The Kirk-sessions records are frequently included in these records, it having been found impossible in some cases to separate baptismal, marriage, and burial records from the doings of the church as a disciplinary body. It is unfortunate that all Kirk-session records were not retained.

As a rule the parish registers for the Lowlands north of Edinburgh commence about 1600, or a trifle earlier;

usually early enough for purposes of finding the baptism of Scottish emigrants.

The condition of these records is good. As a rule the entry recites that a child, man-child appearing for son, to the father named, the mother named by her maiden name, was baptized. The birth is frequently given. Residence and occupation of father are given, and names of the witnesses. These latter are of course often of great value.

In marriage records the parentage of the bride is sometimes given.

Parish registers were at first voluntary records of the pastor. They came into being about the time of the Reformation. The great number of illegitimate births mentioned shows the painstaking efforts of the clergy, and the instances of church discipline are proof that the culprit, whatever his rank, was obliged to humble himself before the congregation.

In many respects the Kirk-session records are identical with our "church-meeting records," and abound with valuable genealogical material.

St. Andrews Kirk-sessions are in print, in part at least.

Extremely valuable records are the local guild records. These are in the possession of private persons, survivors or representatives of the guilds. Usually one is referred to some lawyer who cares nothing for genealogical research. Other valuable records are the burgh or town records. Among the town archives should be lists of all the freemen of the guilds, and of the apprentices.

The American seeking genealogical information from Scottish records will find that his task is more difficult than anticipated. Free search permits are carefully guarded, and granted only upon a well-vouched-for application detailing the purpose of the search, the records to be examined, and under a promise to print the results attained. Free permits are never issued for the parish registers.

The greatest courtesy prevails throughout the offices, and strangers need not fear to ask for information.

The fees for search in the general search-room are not excessive, and are arranged in such a way as to obviate the necessity of feeling that one may be watched to see if he takes too much.

The literary search-room is above the public room, and is never overcrowded. Those in charge are historical students, and well qualified and willing to be of service to a student.

Manifestly the most likely records to return results are the parish registers and the probate records. If a more extended search is intended, then the services of some reputable agent should be retained.

A class of records of value to Americans of Scotch descent are those concerning the risings of 1715 and 1745.

The "List of Rebels" (1745), edited by Mr. Walter MacLeod, contains a great deal of valuable information. Lord Rosebery supplied an historical preface.

The records of "Forfeited Estates" are of value for information concerning members of families attainted for adherence to the Stuarts.

An inventory of the papers found among the "Proceedings of the Commissioners of Forfeited Estates," now deposited in the Public Record Office in London, will be found in Report V., App. II., pp. 97-130, of the Deputy Keepers' Reports.

The reader desiring to obtain further information regarding the possibilities of genealogical research in Scotland is referred to the "Handbook of Records in H.M. General Register House, Edinburgh," issued in 1885, and to Mr. W. P. W. Phillimore's "Supplement to How to Write the History of a Family," pp. 360-387.

In closing it is well to mention that the useful Advocate's Library in Edinburgh is accessible to any respectable student, and that there will be found a very complete collection of Scottish genealogical publications, including privately printed family histories, some of which are very elaborate and trustworthy.

A work valuable to the student of the genealogical history of the north shore of the Firth of Forth is the "East Neuk of Fife," by Rev. Walter Wood, of which a second edition was published after the author's death.

**MARRIAGE RECORDS IN OFFICE OF THE CLERK
OF THE COURTS AT SALEM, MASS.**

RELATING TO THAT PART OF SALEM KNOWN AS THE SALEM
VILLAGE PARISH, NOW DANVERS, MASS.

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RETURN OF MARRIAGE BY MR. SAMUEL PARRIS, *viz.*:
Isaac Fawer, of Woburn, was married to Mary Walcott, of
Salem Village, April 29, 1696.

MARRIAGES RETURNED BY THE REVD. MR. JOSEPH GREEN.

Jonathan Dyke, of Ipswitch, and Bethia Baker, of Salem,
Dec. 8, 1698.

Jonathan Howard and Mary Flint, both of Salem, Dec. 29,
1698.

Isaac Follett and Hannah Starr, both of Salem, April 13,
1699.

Samuel Leach and Ginger Porter, both of Salem, Sept. 25,
1699.

Joseph Towne, of Topsfield, and Margeret Case, of Salem,
Nov. 6, 1699.

John Foster and Margaret Jacobs, both of Salem, Nov. 30,
1699.

Jonathan Moulton, of Wenham, and Sarah Herrick, of Salem,
Jan. 5, 1699-1700.

Joseph Flanders and Hester Cash, of Salem, Aug. 5, 1700.

Nich. Howard and Jemima Rae, of Salem, Sept. 3, 1700.

Benj. Smith, of Salem, and Sarah Pebody, of Boxford, Oct.
22, 1700.

Wm. Bishop, of Salem, and Dorothy Hooper, of Beverly,
Oct. 15, 1700.

- Ebenr. Mash and Alice Booth, of Salem, Nov. 25, 1700.
Jno. Buxton and Priscilla Lynn, of Salem, Nov. 26, 1700.
Ebenr. Foster and Anna Wikins, of Salem, Dec. 19, 1700.
David Harrod and Mary Walcot, of Salem, Jan. 15, 1700-1701.
Jo. Hutchinson and Rebekah Knight, of Topsfield, Jan. 30, 1700-1701.
Jno. Phelps, of Reading, and Eliz. Putnam, of Salem, March 12, 1701.
Jno. Mascoll and Eliz. Bachellor, of Salem, May 14, 1701.
Josh. Beans and Mary Slue (Shed on church records), of Salem, June 23, 1701.
Jno. Blevin and Mary Robinson, of Salem, July 29, 1701.
Nat. Pease and Eliz. Asby, of Salem, Oct. 20, 1701.
Jno. Trask and Hannah Osburne, of Salem, Nov. 26, 1701.
Ben. Hanson, of Dover, and Eliz. Trask, of Salem, Nov. 26, 1701.
Bray Wilkins and Rebek Knight, of Topsfield, Feb. 10, 1701-2.
Danll. Andrew, of Salem, and Eliz. Pebody, of Boxford, Feb. 12, 1701-2.
Jno. Dunnell, of Topsfield, and Mary Read, of Salem, Feb. 25, 1701-2.
Richd. Hide and Barbary Weld, of Salem, July 3, 1702.
Ben Wilkins, of Salem, and Marjery Ruff, of Concord, July 20, 1702.
Tho. Kenny and Martha Cox, of Salem, Nov. 10, 1701.
Sam. Day, of Gloucester, and Priscilla Bishop, of Salem, Aug. 19, 1702.
David Richardson and Hannah Putnam, of Salem, Sept. 14, 1702.
Wm. Beans and Martha Winslow, of Salem, Oct. 29, 1702.
Wm. Slate and Eliz. Abby, Sept. 23, 1702.
Samll. Upton and Abigail Frost, Jan. 14, 1702-03.
Jno. Sedgwick and Eliz. Swacy, May 10, 1703.
Henry Wilkins and Sarah Wilkins, July 1703.

Jno. Goodale and Eliz. Witt, Sept. 8, 1703.

Thomas Venny, of Marblehd., and Eliz. Peasd, of Salem,
Oct. 28, 1703.

Nat. Pope and Priscilla Chatwell, Dec., 1703.

Tho. Flint and Lydia Putnam, Jan. 6, 1703-4.

James Whipple, of Ipswich, and Mary Fuller, of Salem,
Jan. 12, 1703-4.

Wm. Leach and Tryphosa Herriek, Feb. 10, 1703-04.

Wm. West and Lydia Acres, April 17, 1704.

Steph, Howard and Bithia Raymont, April 19, 1704.

Tho. Darling and Sarah Buxton, April 27, 1704.

Josh. Beans and Mary Fuller, June 7, 1704.

Aquila Wilkins and Lydia Nicholls, July 12, 1704.

Perez Webb and Sarah Robinson, Aug. 16, 1704.

Jno. Gloyde and Margt. Cann, Oct. 18, 1704.

Danll. Kenny and Mary Richards, Jan. 10, 1704-5.

Jer. Neal and Eliz. Small, March 29, 1705.

Samll. Cook and Eliz. Wilson, April 18, 1705.

MARRIAGES RETURNED BY THE REVD. JOSEPH GREEN,
FEB. 21, 1710-11, HAVING BEEN JOINED IN MARRIAGE
BY HIM ACCORDING TO THE SEVERAL DATES AND TIMES
HEREAFTER EXPREST.

John Tarbel and Hannah Flint, Aug. 21, 1705.

Nathaniel Goldthwait and Eliza. Burt.

John Ganson and Abigail Leach, November.

Joseph Wilkins and Mary White, Nov. 22.

Ebenezr. Fowle, of Chalestowne, and Sarah Houghton
(Holten, church records), of Salem, Nov. 30.

David Judd and Martha Preston, Dec. 7.

James Smith and Mary Tarbell.

Benj. Cox and Anne Prettice, June 13, 1706.

Lieut. Benja. Putnam and Sarah Houghton (Holten, church
records), July 1.

Joseph Small and Susanna Parker, July 22.

Benja. Henderson and Abigail Beedle, July 22.

Thomas Neadham and Ruth Sibley, Aug. 8.
Israel Porter and Sarah Putnam, Sept. 12.
James Ross and Martha Darling, Nov. 13.
Henry Phelps, of Reading, and Rachel Guppy, December.
John Buxton, Jr., and Margaret Chick, Jan. 1.
John Browne and Mary Elsy, Jan. 1.
Benjamin Houghton and ——— Leech, July 13, 1708.
Thomas Preston and Annah Leach, June.
Nehemiah Wilkins and Eliz. Guppy, December.
John Towne and Elizab. Rae, January.
John Porter, of Wenham, and Eliza. Putnam, February.
Daniel Rea and Mary Tompkins.
Wm. Porter and Edith Herrick.
John Jefferyes and Mary Pickman (Nov 25).
George Nurse and Lydia Hutchinson, 1709.
Joseph Porter and Mary Bayley, May 3.
John Giles and Esther Swinnerton, May 9.
Samuel Felton and Sarah Goodale, May 10,
Thomas Nichols and Eliza Flint, November.
Isaac Burton and Susanna (Hannah) Putnam.
Ambrose Hutchinson and Ruth Leach, June 24.
Nathanl. Putnam and Hannah Roberts.
Benjamin Marsh and Hannah King.
Jonathan Kenney and Rebeck Nurse (Dec. 21).
John Darlin and Bethiah Hacker.
Zachary Curtice and Love Rogers.
Samuel Leach and Hebsiba Rea, April, 1710.
Samll. Fuller and Mary Littlefield,
John Hutchinson and Hanah Howard, May 4.
Samuel Lambert and Mary Squire.
Benja. Pope and Sarah Smith, June 24.
Marten Herrick and Ruth Endicot, July 17.
Joseph Hutchinson and Bethia Gold, Oct. 19.
Ebenr. Russel and Deborah Hibbard, Sept. 25.
Joseph Flint and Rachel Sibley, Nov. 16, 1710.
Benj. Archer and Anna Bridges, Jan. 15.

Thomas Green and Martha Moulton, Jan 12.

Joseph Gold and Sarah Marsh, Jan. 25.

Elisha Putnam and Hannah Marble, February.

RETURNE OF MARRIAGES MADE BY THE REVEREND MR.
JOSEPH GREEN, FEB. YE 5, 1711-12.

Danll. Rea, Jr., and Rebekkah Griggs, March 7, 1710-11.

John Simonds and Sarah Foster, March 15, 1710-11.

Joseph Fuller and Rachel Buxton, April 10, 1711.

Benja. Trask, of Beverly, and Triphena Herrick, May 9.

George Deland and Bethiah Peters, May 10.

Anthony Buxton and Dorcas Gould, June 1.

Joseph Andrews, of Boxford, and Hepsiba Porter, June 7.

Ebenezer Nichols, Reading, and Anne Flint, June 21.

Nathan Pebody, Boxford, and Hannah Putnam, Nov. 29.

William Daggit and Mary Nurse, Nov. 29.

Robert Hutchinson and Eliza. Putnam, Dec. 27.

Ezekiel Upton and Ruth Hardy, Jan. 23, 1711-12.

Joseph Whitmore, of Charlestown, and Mehitable Raymont,
of Salem, Feb. 21, 1712.

William Small and Rachel Needom, both of Salem, Feb. 21,
1712.

Benja. Porter and Hannah Endicott, both of Salem, April 3.

John Lakey and Mercy Dodge, both of Salem, July 5.

William Wallcott and Mary Felt, of Salem, Aug. 6.

Joseph Foster, of Ipswich, and Mary Creasy, of Salem,
Aug. 13.

Samll. Stacy and Rachel Small., of Salem, Aug. 22.

David Foster and Eliza. Foster, of Salem, Sept. 8.

John Slap and Eliza. Marble, Dec. 25.

David Goodale and Abigail Eliot, Jan. 7.

Thomas Flint and Mary Putnam, Jan. 8.

Joshua Felt, of Boston, and Anne Wallcott, of Salem, Jan.
15.

Abraham Lozier and Hope Foster, Jan. 22, 1712-13.

Josiah Putnam and Ruth Hutchinson, Feb. 19.

Cornelius Tarbell and Mary Sharp, March 5.

John Fowler and Hannah Felps, March 24, 1712-13.

George Flint and Jerusha Pope, July 9, 1713.

RETURNS OF MARRIAGE MADE BY YE REVEREND MR. GREEN,
Nov. 10, 1714.

Jacob Elitt and Hannah Cox, Nov. 10, 1713.

Jona. Putnam and Eliza. Putnam, Feb. 12, 1713-14.

Timo. Perkins and Hannah Buxton, Feb. 1, 1713-14.

Elisha Putnam and Susanna Fuller, Feb. 15, 1713-14.

Richard Hutchinson and Rachel Bance, Feb. 16, 1713-14.

Ruphus Herrick and Sarah Phillips, June 2, 1714.

Benja. Russel and Sarah Elsey, June 18, 1714.

Jona. Preston and Eliza. Voden, Aug. 10, 1714.

Samll. King, Jr. and Abigail Buffington, Aug. 13, 1714.

Henry Kenney and Mary Curtice, Sept. 18, 1714.

John Goudy and Mary Casy, Oct. 12, 1714.

William Fuller and Eliza. Goodale, Oct. 16, 1714.

RETURNS OF MARRIAGE MADE BY THE REV. MR. CLARKE OF
YE VILLAGE.

Robt. Hutchinson and Sarah Putnam, both of Salem, June 6, 1717.

Isaac Cooke and Martha Anniball, both of Salem, Oct. 17, 1717.

John Walcott and Eliza. Perkins, both of Salem, Oct. 29, 1717.

Ebenr. Walcott, of Salem, and Eliza. Wiley, of Reading, Nov. 26, 1717.

Benja. Ives and Anne Derby, both of Salem, Jan. 2, 1717-18.

John Traske and Mary Clarke, both of Salem, Feb. 13, 1717-18.

RETURNE OF MARRIAGE MADE BY THE REV. MR. PETER
CLARKE, MARCH 3, 1718-19.

Nicho. Hayward, of Salem, and Ledia Colton, of Reading, April 8, 1718.

Jona. Russell and Hannah Estey, both of Salem, April 10, 1718.

Steph. Putnam and Miriam Putnam, both of Salem, May 30, 1718.

Robt. Clarke and Eliza. Richardson, both of Salem, Oct. 3, 1718.

Evan Evens and Mary Goldthrite, both of Salem, Oct. 13, 1718.

Hen. Wilkins and Mary Lewis, both of Salem, Oct. 22, 1718.

Petr. Browne and Rebecca Wood, both of Salem, Nov. 17, 1718.

Jno. Sampson and Abigail Pudney, both of Salem, Dec. 9, 1718.

Benja. Knight, of Topsfield, and Ruth Fuller, of Salem, Jan., 1718-19.

Danll. Putnam and Rebecca Putnam, both of Salem, Feb. 25, 1718-19.

RETURNE OF MARRIAGES MADE BY THE REV. MR. PETER CLARKE, MARCH 21, 1719-20.

Jno. Norrice and Rebk. Mackentire, Oct. 1, 1719.

Joseph Hutchinson and Abigll. Goodale, Jan. 19.

Lt. James Putnam and Mary Rea, March 16.

Ezra Putnam, of Topsfield, and Eliza Fuller, of Salem, March 16.

1720. BY THE REV. MR. PETER CLARKE.

Mr. Nathll. Sparhawk and Mrs. Eliza. Perkins, both of Lynn, Sept. 26, 1720.

Jona. Foster and Priscilla Proctor, Nov. 10.

Jno. Hutchinson, Jun. and Abigll. Giles, Nov. 17.

Robt. Edwards Endicott and Eliza. Phillips, Nov. 24.

Caleb Putnam and Silence Duncklee, Dec. 7.

Israel Andrew and Anna Porter, Dec. 22.

Phillip White and Eliza Rommery, Dec. 29.

Joseph Putnam and Lydia Flint, Jan. 3.

1721. BY THE REV. MR. PETER CLARKE.

- John Jefferds and Lydia Bayley, May 5.
Danll. Marble and Esther Putnam, June 22.
Willm. Andrew, of Marblehead, and Mehitable Andrew, of
Salem, Dec. 19.
Danll. Wilkins and Mary Hutchinson, Dec. 19.
Ebenr. Nurse and Eliza. Mitchel, Jan. 4.
Obed Abbott and Eliza. Tarbell, Feb. 1.
Joshua Putnam and Rachel Goodale, Feb. 2.
John Moulton and Judah Mackentire, Mar. 13, 1721-22.

1722. BY THE REV. MR. PETER CLARKE.

- John Case, of Salem, and Miriam Wilkins, of Topsfield,
Jan. 31.

1723. BY THE REV. MR. PETER CLARKE.

- David Richardson, of Salem, and Rebeckah Bailey, of Tops-
field, Apr. 16.
John Rea and Mary Houlton, Oct. 3.
Willm. Vinning, of Marblehead, and Anna Nichols, of
Salem, Oct. 18.
Nathan Mackentire and Jemima Mackentire, Nov. 29.
John Leach and Rachel Putnam, Jan. 15.
Wm. Putnam and Eliza. Putnam, Jan. 30.
Wm. Douglas and Keturah Rea, Mar. 3.

1724. BY THE REV. MR. PETER CLARKE.

- Zorobabel Rea and Margt. Rogers, Apr. 20.
Benja. Buxton and Eliza. Hutchinson, May 5.
Zechariah Marsh and Abigail Moulton, Sept. 2.
Jona. Goodale and Keturah Goodale, Nov. 4.
John Goodale and Ruth Bound, Nov. 11.
James Masury and Martha Judd, Dec. 29.
James Phillips and Eliza. Taylor, Feb. 25.
Daniel Kellam and Mary Kenney, Feb. 17.

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SOME EXPERIENCES OF AN ENGLISH GENEALOGIST.

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I do not intend in these few lines to disclose any of the secret ways of genealogists. Indeed, in many things they are pretty well past finding out. What has stirred me up is this: a letter came from the editor of a genealogical magazine when I was *hors de combat*, having been unable to follow for some weeks, except in a slight degree, any of my rather numerous literary occupations. This letter recalled somewhat of the past, and tempted me to put down a few of my experiences. This is the first time I have ventured to apply the actual technical term "genealogist" to myself. If any class in the world have to do their work in the dark and underground like the mole it is the genealogist. He often has to do this literally. Somerset House, York Minster, and nearly all the diocesan registers are my witnesses. The poor genealogist is supposed to have eyes equal to those of an eagle; and as for his patience — well, that of Job is hardly to be mentioned. As to the great science — and who will dare say it is not a very great science? — of putting two and two together, he must be a perfect adept, or he is no good at all. I do not say how much he is likely to find the sum total of the above question; suffice to say it is not always 3.999 *ad infinitum*.

I have said I have never before ventured to put myself down like this as "genealogist." Yet I have had more than twenty years' labor at the business. I have now rolls upon rolls and bundles upon bundles of manuscript. I have traced many and many a pedigree. I have seen hundreds of registers, manuscripts of various dates and importance. All this

has forced on me the very strong idea that very few can really claim to be called by this name. I know many do call themselves so, but *cui bono*? It is not what we call ourselves, but what we are capable of doing is the real question.

As to the designation itself, no one, I think, can claim it, except he has given years and years of very patient, laborious work in its execution, and that without calculating on fee or reward. There may be a few heaven-born genealogists. I have never seen one yet. I admit some are by temperament and by natural ability better qualified for this occupation than others, and these are the only ones that are ever likely to, or indeed ever can, succeed in this very laborious and very intricate occupation. If there is a single profession in the world that need write "No amateurs need apply" over its vestibule, that one is that of the genealogist. His apprenticeship must be long and weary, his articles are of the severest. He often has to make his bricks without a particle of straw; he has to trace his fox without an atom of scent. He has not only to cross the Rubicon and burn his boats, but when he lands on the other side of the Rubicon he finds only an inextricable maze. Well, we cannot wonder that ordinary flesh and blood shrinks from anything like this, and tries to carve out for itself a royal road to genealogy. Many do this. I have seen here and there "pedigree trees." They have been shown to me with great pride, and my opinion asked about them. There was the tree sure enough, root, branches, top, and all complete. As an art of penmanship, some of these have looked very well, but as for the tree, root and branches for most part, it grew only in the imagination of the penman. Under a goodly few of these I have been inclined to inscribe, "Mangling done here." So much for the royal road. Like the chapter on snakes in Ireland, "There are no snakes in Ireland," I would say, "There is no royal road to genealogy." If any one wants to travel on here, he must unbuckle to the last hole and brace up every nerve.

I could say a good deal about the sources of information

at his command. They lie chiefly among musty, dusty volumes of manuscripts, often badly cared for. These are his stock in trade. They are often illegible, and have to be restored by chemicals. Even after they are restored they are like the boy's horse. When asked what fault he had, "I find two faults," said he. "The horse is bad to catch, and after he's caught he's not worth the trouble of catching." The uninitiated could not read a page a day of some of these old manuscripts, and when he finished his reading he would be little the wiser.

Only think what little care is taken in many cases of our parochial registers. These are priceless in value, as being the only authentic record in existence of three of the most important events of life. Yet it is within my experience to say that in many cases they are treated nearly like waste paper. But I dare not trust myself to tell now even a fraction of what I know on this matter.

I could even tell a tale about the troubles of a genealogist — not those that are always with him, but of those people make for him. Many apply to him from all quarters, and would fain have him do all only for fair promises — in fact, to live on nothing. Many like this have fallen to my share. Then again many hold out the prospects of immediate rich reward. The poor genealogist goes to work with a good heart, because, like everybody else, he is stimulated by hope of a reward. He soon spends a few pounds, and then the promises tumble like a house of cards. He finds all his money gone for naught, and his time wasted as far as that was concerned.

I am bound to say the worst bite I have ever had in this way was by a Church of England clergyman; so it was a case of brother robbing brother, of dog bite dog. A few years ago I made an extended research into the pedigree and connection of Oliver Cromwell. I was serving the church where his wife, children, and grandchildren were buried. I published some articles which were rather widely read. These

landed me in much correspondence ; and I found that many people thought they could trace themselves back to him. I paid scant attention to these, but a clergyman wrote me a very circumstantial account, and wanted me much to take the matter up for him. He held out the most tempting offers of reward, but for a while I held back, knowing it would be a very expensive affair, which I fully represented to him. But expense was of no moment to him. I went to work rather reluctantly, I must confess. I undertook long journeys and paid fees, etc. At last I applied to him for money out of pocket, or I would go on no further. Judge of my surprise when he impudently wrote back he was too poor to pay me a penny. I found out afterwards he had victimized others.

Then, again, what clever hiding of skeletons we find out here and there. The Ulster king at arms need have a maw like an ostrich to digest all the matter placed before him. There are many little matters that are gilded over so nicely in Burke's that even the most fastidious would suspect nothing. "Esq." is a title fitted to cover many an inglorious origin.

The true student of genealogy seeks facts, not fable, and the genealogist who would conceal facts of an unpleasant nature to flatter his client is unreliable. Oftentimes the truth so hardly got at is so unpalatable that the genealogist never receives the credit due him for his discoveries. Such experiences are "all in a day's work." As the work of a genealogist is more or less confidential, he has often the provocation of seeing his work given to the public without a word of credit or commendation.

ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

(Continued from page 198.)

104. Gershom⁴ Bradford (Hannah³ Rogers, Elizabeth² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 21, 1691. Died, in Bristol, before 1769. Married in Duxbury, Oct. 23, 1716, to Priscilla Wiswall, daughter of Rev. Ichabod and Priscilla Pabodie Wiswall (his mother's cousin). She was born in Duxbury, Dec. 21, 1691, and died after 1769.

Children, as given in "Davis' Landmarks of Plymouth" and "Bradford Genealogy," N.E. Hist. Gen. Reg., Vol. 4:

539. Alexander⁵ Bradford.

540. David Bradford (Bradford Gen. says Daniel, born 1720).

541. Noah Bradford.

542. Job Bradford.

543. Jeremiah Bradford.

544. Priscilla Bradford.

545. Hopestill Bradford.

546. Eliphalet Bradford.

547. Rachel Bradford.

548. Solomon Bradford.

105. ⁴Perez Bradford (³Hannah Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 28, 1694. Harvard College, 1713. Died in Attleboro', June 19, 1746, æt. 52. He married, in Dedham, Abigail Belcher (this has been given erroneously as Belch or Balch); Dedham Records say "April 14, 1720, by Rev. Joseph Belcher, 'the same day married Mr. Perez Bradford and Mrs. Abigail Belcher.'" She was daughter of Rev. Joseph and Abigail Belcher; born Aug. 22, 1695. We know their

first child was born in Dedham, and probably the others were born in Attleboro'.

- 549. ⁵ Abigail Bradford, born in Dedham, May 15, 1721, dau. Mr. Peres and Mrs. Abigail Bradford.
- 550. Perez Bradford.
- 551. Joel Bradford.
- 552. George Bradford.
- 553. John Bradford.
- 554. Joseph Bradford.
- 555. Hannah Bradford.
- 556. Mary Bradford.
- 557. Elizabeth Bradford.

106. ⁴ Elizabeth Bradford (³ Hannah Rogers, ² Eliz. Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 15, 1696; married 1st (probably in Duxbury), Jan. 10, 1716-17, Charles Whiting, son of William and Mary (Allyn) Whiting. The Bradford Gen. says she married William Whiting, which is an error. See Goodwin's Genealogical Notes. He was born in Hartford, Conn., July 5, 1692. "Lieut. Charles Whiting at Montville; died March 7, 1738." She married 2d March, 1739, Deacon John Noyes, of Stonington. She died May 10, 1777.

Children by first husband:

- 558. ⁵ Mary Whiting, born Jan., 1717. Until lately I have thought Mary Whiting was the great-great-grand-daughter referred to in the couplet "Rise, daughter, to thy daughter run. Her daughter's daughter hath a son," and supposed son should have been changed to daughter; but I find that Nathaniel and Hannah (Bradford) Gilbert had two sons, at least, before Elizabeth Alden died.
- 559. John Whiting, born Aug. 3, 1719.
- 560. Sybil Whiting, born July, 1722.
- 561. Charles Whiting, born August, 1725.
- 562. Elizabeth Whiting, born August, 1725.
- 563. Gamaliel Whiting, born Sept. 17, 1727.
- 564. William Bradford Whiting, born April 15, 1731.

565. Bereneze Whiting, born March, 1733.

566. Ebenezer Whiting, born May, 1735.

By second husband :

567. Dorothy Noyes.

107. ⁴Jerusha Bradford (³Hannah Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, March 10, 1699. She died Aug. 19, 1783, æt. 85 years. Married, probably in Duxbury, Nov. 3, 1719, Reverend Ebenezer Gay, D.D. He was the youngest son of Nathaniel and Lydia (Lusher) Gay, born in Dedham, Mass., Aug. 15, 1696. Harvard College, 1714. He was ordained over the 1st parish of Hingham, June 11, 1718, and was sole pastor till his death. He died March 18, 1787, æt. 90, in the 69th year of his ministry. He published several of his sermons, but the one that has given him the greatest notoriety was preached on his 85th birthday, Aug. 15, 1781, from the text, "I am this day fourscore and five years old," entitled the "Old Man's Calendar." Several editions have been printed in this country, and reprinted in England and in Holland.

Children born in Hingham, Mass. :

568. ⁵Samuel Gay, born Jan. 15, 1721; graduated Harvard College, 1740. Died in Chelsea, England, March 26, 1746, where he was studying medicine.

569. Abigail Gay, born Sept. 8, 1722; died Feb. 8, 1729.

570. Calvin Gay, born Sept. 14, 1724.

571. Martin Gay, born Dec. 29, 1726.

572. Abigail Gay, born Aug. 20, 1729.

573. Celia Gay, born Aug. 13, 1731; died Feb. 18, 1749.

574. Jotham Gay, born April 11, 1733.

575. Jerusha Gay, born March 17, 1735.

576. Ebenezer Gay, born March 3, 1737; died 1738.

577. Persis Gay, born Nov. 2, 1739; died March 24, 1754.

578. Joanna Gay, born Nov. 23, 1741; died July 23, 1772.

Most of this is from the Gay genealogy in N.E. Hist. and Gen. Reg., Vol. 19.

108. ⁴Welthea Bradford (³Hannah Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, May 15, 1702, and died in Hingham, June 2, 1755, æt. 53 years. Married ⁴Peter Lane, son of ³Ebenezer Lane (²George William and Hannah (Hearsey) Lane). ("Genealogical History of Hingham," pages 412-414). He was born in Hingham, May 25, 1697, and died March 17, 1764, æt. 67 years. "Inventory, £329 16s. 8d.," and included land at Great Lots, Joys Rocks, Cohasset, Scituate, and Abington. Administrator, John Holbrooke, of Weymouth. Peter Lane was a farmer and a constable. He resided in the paternal homestead, North, near Beal street.

Children, all born in Hingham:

- 579. ⁶Hannah Lane, born May 27, 1724.
- 580. Irene Lane, born Jan. 6, 1725-6.
- 581. Lucy Lane, born June 6, 1728; died Feb. 9, 1733-4.
- 582. George Lane, bapt. June 6, 1731.
- 583. Lucy Lane, born March 16, 1734-5.
- 584. Sybil Lane, born July 26, 1741.
- 585. Sarah Lane, bapt. Oct. 6, 1745.

109. Hon. ⁴Gamaliel Bradford (³Hannah Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, May 18, 1704. Died April 24, 1778, æt. nearly 74 years. He married in Duxbury, Aug. 30 or 31, 1728, Abigail Bartlett, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Pabodie) Bartlett. She was an own cousin of his mother. She was born in Duxbury, 1703. She died Aug. 30, 1776.

Children, all born in Duxbury:

- 586. ⁵Abigail Bradford, born Sept. 24, 1728.
- 587. (Capt.) Samuel Bradford, born Jan. 2, 1730.
- 588. Gamaliel Bradford, born Sept. 2, 1731.
- 589. Seth Bradford, born Sept. 14, 1733.
- 590. (Capt.) Pabodie Bradford, born March 8, 1735.
- 591. Deborah Bradford, born Aug. 17, 1738. [Died Aug. 1, 1739, says Winsor, but Bradford gen. in N.E.]

Register says, married Capt. Melzar Adams, of Kingston, and had 7 children.]

592. Hannah Bradford, born July 20, 1740.

593. Andrew Bradford, born June 2, 1742.

594. Peter Bradford, born July 5, 1743.

595. Ruth Bradford, born July 5, 1745.

110. Judge ⁴W^m. Richmond (³Elizabeth Rogers, ²Elizabeth Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). * "Born in Little Compton, R.I., Oct. 10, 1694, and died there Feb. 22, 1770. Married, July 8, 1720, ³Anna Gray, daughter of ²Thomas Gray (¹Edward) and ³Anna (Little) Gray (²Ephraim, ¹Thomas). She was born in Little Compton, Jan. 29, 1702, and died in Bristol, R.I., Oct. 9, 1762. His will, dated July 5, 1766, proved April, 1770, mentions sons, Barzillai, Ephraim, William, Perez, Thomas, Sylvester; daughters, Elizabeth Brownell, wife of Jonathan; Mary Ware, wife of Dr. George Ware; Sarah Walker, wife of David Walker; Abigail Pitts, wife of Peter Pitts; daughter-in-law Hannah, wife of son William; grandson Gilbert, son of son Ichabod, dec.; grand-daughter Anna, daughter of Ephraim. Hon. William Richmond was a judge, and instrumental in locating the line securing Little Compton to Rhode Island. He was Town Clerk, March 15, 1731.

"Children, all born in Little Compton :

" 596. ⁵Barzillai Richmond, born April 13, 1721.

597. Ephraim Richmond, born May 5, 1723.

598. Elizabeth Richmond, born Feb. 26, 1725.

599. William Richmond, born Aug. 20, 1727.

600. Perez Richmond, born Oct. 13, 1729.

601. Ichabod Richmond, born Oct. 18, 1731.

602. Thomas Richmond, born Dec. 13, 1733.

603. Mary Richmond, born Dec. 26, 1735.

604. Sarah Richmond, born Jan. 8, 1738.

605. Sylvester Richmond, born Oct. 7, 1740.

606. Abigail Richmond, born Feb. 26, 1744.

* From "Richmond Genealogy," by Joshua B. Richmond, page 34.

“There was probably another daughter :

“607. Thankful, who married — Greenwood, and went West,” so says the Genealogy.

111. ⁴Elizabeth Richmond (³Elizabeth Rogers, ²Elizabeth Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). Born in Little Compton, R.I., May 10, 1696. She died probably in Dighton, Sept. 26, 1765, in the 70th year of her age. Married, Nov. 1 (L. C. Rec. say Dec. 15), 1715, Rev. Nathaniel Fisher, son of Daniel and Mary (Fuller) Fisher, born April 5, 1687, in Dedham, and died Dighton, Aug. 30, 1777, aged 91. The Dighton records do not give dates of daughters' births, and there may have been others who died young. Rev. Nathaniel Fisher graduated Harvard, 1706. Ordained at Dighton in 1711, first minister in Dighton.

Children, probably born in Dighton :

608. ⁵Abigail Fisher died in 1748, married George Bowers, Feb. 28, 1739-40 ; their child Elizabeth died Sept. 9, 1748, æt. 3 years.

609. Elizabeth Fisher.

610. Nathaniel Fisher, born May 6, 1725 ; died Aug. 1, 1728.

611. Jeremiah Fisher, born Sept. 22, 1728.

612. Nathaniel Fisher, born Dec. 20, 1733 ; died May 2, 1748.

112. (Hon. and Col.) ⁴Sylvester Richmond (³Elizabeth Rogers, ²Elizabeth Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). Born in Little Compton, June 30, 1698 ; died in Dighton, Mass., Jan. 14, 1783, in the 85th year of his age. He married Elizabeth Talbut, daughter of Jared, 2d, and Rebecca Talbut, of Dighton. She was born June 14, 1699, and died in Dighton, June 23, 1773, in her 73d year.

He removed from Little Compton to Dighton, Mass., about 1723. He was sheriff of Bristol county ; representative from Dighton to General Court, 1741 to 1747 ; colonel in the British army ; active in Spanish and French wars, and distinguished himself at Cape Breton. When

the Revolution came, he was in sympathy with the patriot cause (pages 35-38 of "Richmond Genealogy").

Children :

- 613. ³ Ezra Richmond, born Jan. 28, 1721.
- 614. Rebecca Richmond, born Feb. 12, 1723.
- 615. Elizabeth Richmond, born Dec. 22, 1726.
- 616. Sylvester Richmond, born Nov. 20, 1729.
- 617. Hannah Richmond, born Sept. 17, 1731.
- 618. Mary Richmond, born March 10, 1733.
- 619. Ruth Richmond, born March 18, 1736-7; died unmarried at Dighton.
- 620. John Richmond, born March 12, 1738-9.
- 621. Nathaniel Richmond, born March 12, 1738-9.

113. ⁴ Peleg Richmond (³ Elizabeth Rogers, ² Elizabeth Pabodie, ¹ Elizabeth Alden). Born in Little Compton, Oct. 25, 1700. He died Aug. 13, 1783. He married 1st, in Portsmouth, R.I., Dec. 14, 1727, his cousin Patience Palmer, daughter of William and Mary (Richmond) Palmer, born Feb. 19, 1704. She died Dec. 27, 1728, and he married secondly, in January, 1733, Mary Viall, widow of James Viall, and daughter of John and Mary (Cobham) Pierce. James Viall died in 1731, leaving widow Mary and four children ("Narragansett Register," Vol. 3, page 78), Peleg Richmond, of Little Compton, and Mary Viall, of Barrington, Mass. Intentions Dec. 30, 1732; married Jan., 1733.

By first wife he had :

- 622. ⁶ Gamaliel Richmond, born in Little Compton, April 24, 1728.

By second wife Mary (Pierce) Viall he had born in Barrington :

- 623. Peleg Richmond, born March 5, 1733; died young.
- 624. John Rogers Richmond, born April 23, 1737.
- 625. Mary Richmond, born Sept. 3, 1740
- 626. Elizabeth Richmond, born .

627. James Richmond, bapt. Aug. 17, 1735; probably died young.
628. Sarah Richmond.

His will was made 1767, proved Nov. 10, 1783. He lived in Rehoboth. He settled in Barrington in 1767; buried at Prune's Hill.

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DISMISSALS FROM THE CHURCH AT SALEM
VILLAGE, NOW DANVERS, MASS.

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- Oct. 6, 1695. Peter Cloyse and Sarah, his wife, dismissed to church at Marlborough. Letters asked for 30 Apr. 1693, "Bro. Cloyse being at Boston, where he has lived these many months." His wife then aged about 54.
11 Oct., 1696. W^m Way and Persis his wife, Aaron Way and Mary, his wife, "together with their children to Church of Christ lately gathered at Dorchester, in New England, and now planted in South Carolina whereof the Reverend Mr Joseph Low is Pastor."
Septem. 14, 1701. Mary Mitchel formerly Mary Abby dismissed to Windham.
Sept. 21. Peter Cloyse and wife dismissed and recommended to church at Framingham.
1704, Sept. 17. Dorothy Bishop to Church at Middleborough.
1705, Aug. 31. Sarah Bishop to Church at Rehoboth.
1716, June 23. Thomas Kenney to Church of Christ at Preston.
1718, Oct. 25. Elizabeth wife of John Goodale to Church at Marlborough.

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1720, June 12. Daniel Putnam and John Phelps to Reading, North Precinct.

1722, Oct. 7. Martha Scott (married) to Church at Attleborough.

1723, Apr. 7. W^m Walcott and Mary his wife to Church at Attleborough.

Ebenezer Walcott to Church at Reading, North Precinct.

June 23. Martha Fuller to Church at Windham.

Sept. 26. Rebecca, wife of Jon^a Kenny, to Church at Sutton.

1726, May 15. Abigail, wife of John Sampson, to Church at Marlborough.

1731/2, Feb. 6. Lydia, wife of John Jefferd, formerly Lydia Bayly, dismissed to Hopkinton, "where she now Dwelleth."

1734, Apr. 7. Sarah, wife of Phinehas Dodge of Wenham, formerly called Sarah Whipple, dismissed to Church at Wenham.

May 5. Experience, daughter of John Walcott, now the wife of John Oaks, to Church at Marlborough.

1735/6, Feb. 15. George Bigsby and Mary his wife to Church at Topsfield.

1736, Oct. 31. Isaac Burton and Susanna his wife to Church at Preston.

1736/7, Feb. 6. Hannah, daughter of Isaac Burton to Church at Preston.

1737, Nov. 27. Benj^a. Hutchinson and Sarah his wife to Church at Bedford.

1739, Apr. 8. Abigail, daughter of Deacⁿ Edward Putnam and wife of Joseph Fuller, to Church at Lunenburg.

1746/7, Mch. 22. John Gardiner and wife Elizabeth to Church at Marblehead. 19 May, 1747, upon application for letters to Mr. Leavitt's Church in Salem, were refused on ground that the latter Church held views not in accordance with the old doctrine.

1748, Sept. 21. Samuel Putnam to Church at Sudbury.

- Oct. 25. Mary, wife of Walter Smith, Jun^r, to Church at Andover.
- 1753, Sept. 9. Mehetabel, wife of Reuben Harriman, to Hampstead.
- 1758, Sept. 3. Jacob Putnam to Church at Lyndeborough.
- 1761, Feb. 1. Hobart Clark, son of Rev. Peter Clark, to 2^d Church in Brantrey.
- 1762, Jan. 31. Jonathan Hutchinson and Elizabeth his wife to Church at Andover, "whither they had for some years past removed their habitaⁿ."
- Aug. 26. Sam^l. Putnam and Sarah his wife to Church at Lunenburg (having removed thither with their family some time before).
- 1764, June 17. Joseph Seccomb and Ruth his wife to 2^d Church in Danvers.*
- 1765, Sept. 29. Abigail Burton to Church at Wilton, N.H.
- 1766, May 11. Widow Lydia Goodale, who had removed her habitation to Charlton, dismissed.

RECEIVED INTO FIRST CHURCH FROM CHURCHES IN OTHER PLACES.

- May 25, 1690. Sarah Byshop from Church at Topsfield.
- July 12, 1691. Abigail, wife to Brother Abr. Walcott, from Church at Reding.
- Feb. 10, 1698/9. Samuel Goodale from Beverly.
- Aug. 27, 1699. Sarah Hadlock, wife of John Hadlock, from Salem.
- Jan. 4, 1701/2. Elizabeth Brown (kinswoman of Sarah White) from Church of St. Peters in ye Island of Jersey.
- Nov. 3, 1717. Esther Putnam from Church at Wenham.
- Apr. 4, 1725. Wm. Russel and wife from Church at Reading.

* For a diary of Dea. Seccomb, 1756-1777, replete with church details, see Collections Essex Institute, Vol. xxxiv.

- Sept. 3, 1727. Hannah, wife of Amos Putnam, from Church at Malden.
- May 2, 1731. John Giles and Susanna, his wife, from Church at Medford.
- Mch. 4, 1749-50. Hobart Clark from Wenham.
- July 28, 1751. John Venny and his wife Mehetabel, from Souhegan. She upon personal profession.
- 1751, May 5. John Nichols and Eliz^a. his wife from Church at Middleton.
- 1756, Apr. 11. Eliz^a wife of Sam^l Cheever from Church at Ashford.
- Aug. 3, 1788. Joshua Dodge and wife from Beverly.
- July 1, 1797. Eben Putnam and wife Lydia from Middleton.
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HAMPTON FALLS, N.H., CHURCH RECORDS.

(Continued from Vol. V.)

- William Machree married, Jan. 4, 1730, Elizabeth Cass.
- John Cram, sen., married, Jan. 13, 1730, Susannah Batchelder.
- Jonathan Gove married, Mar. 23, 1730, Hannah Worthing.
- John Clark married, May 29, 1730, Elisabeth Clifford, both of Kingstown.
- Robert Reynolds, of Stratham, married, Aug. 21, 1730, Love Clifford, of Kingstown.
- Thomas Fuller married, Oct. 1, 1730, Hannah Chase.
- Thomas Crosby married, Nov. 9, 1730, Mary Coleman, of Kingstown.
- Elihu Chase married, Dec. 9, 1730, Mary Swain.
- Trustrum Sanborn, of Kingston, married, Dec. 17, 1730, Abigail Blake, of Hampton.
- Ezekiel Sanborn, of Exeter, married, Jan. 1, 1731, Elisabeth Melcher, of Hampton.
- James Prescott married, Jan. 14, 1731, Dorothy Tilton.

- Samuel Tilton married, Jan. 21, 1731, Abigail Bachelier.
Joseph Roe married, Jan. 21, 1731, Ruth Sherbon.
Edward Smith, of Exeter, married, Feb. 2, 1731, Lydia Prescott.
John Fullsom married, June 10, 1731, Hannah Sanbon, both of Exeter.
Enoch Gove married, June 13, 1731, Sarah Roe.
Daniel Sanbon, of Exeter, married, Sept. 2, 1731, Abigail Prescott.
William Sanborn, of Exeter, married, Sept. 2, 1731, Elisabeth Dearborn.
Daniel Roe married, Oct. 28, 1731, Katherine Rundlett.
Enoch Clark married, Oct. 28, 1731, Hannah Gove.
Jonathan Longfellow married, Oct. 28, 1731, Mercy Clark.
Abner Philbrick married, Nov. 10, 1731, Mehitable Stewart.
Jacob Sanborn married, Dec. 29, 1731, Anne Sanbon.
Nathan Sweet, of Kingston, married, Jan. 6, 1732, Mary Dearborn.
Edmond James married, Jan. 13, 1732, Matter Sherborn.
Edward Tucker, of Salisbury, married, Jan. 20, 1732, Deborah Blake.
Francis Batchelder married, Jan. 20, 1732, Mary Blake.
Joseph Amareen, of New Castle, married, Jan. 27, 1732, Hannah Brown, of Hampton.
Richard Nason married, Feb. 10, 1732, Elizabeth Tilton.
John Farrow married, May 25, 1732, Ann Clifford. He of Newmarket.
Francis Murton married, June 1, 1732, Sarah Duwell, both of Boston.
Benjamin Sweet married, July 20, 1732, Elizabeth Jennes.
Samuel Davis married, Aug. 22, 1732, Huldah Green.
Rev. Stephen Chase, of Lynn, married, Oct. 17, 1732, Mrs. Jane Wingate, of Hampton.
Nathan Tilton married, Nov. 23, 1732, Hannah Green.
Nicholas Dollor, of Exeter, married, Jan. 23, 1733, Elisabeth West.

Jonathan Batchildir married, Feb. 15, 1733, Elizabeth Rowell.

Moses Fifield, of Stratham, married, March 1, 1733, Abigail Fifield.

Joseph Worth married, March 27, 1733, Mary Shaw.

Deacon Jonathan Fellows married, June 14, 1733, widow Deborah Tilton. He of Ipswich.

Jonathan Swett married, July 19, 1733, Deborah Tilton.

Stephen Flanders, of Salisbury, married Aug. 13, 1733, Elizabeth Stevens.

Winthrop Dow married, Oct. 9, 1733, Rachel Gove.

John Loverin married, Dec. 13, 1733, Elizabeth Weare.

Benjamin Sanborn married, Dec. 27, 1733, Hannah Tilton.

Joseph Shaw married, Jan 22, 1734, Elizabeth Batchelder.

John Roby married, Jan. 24, 1734, Ann Williams.

Samuel Cram married, Feb. 28, 1734, Mary Cram.

Elisha Page married, April 4, 1734, Meribah Batchelder.

Walter Williams married, April 11, 1734, Rachel Hilliard.

Ebenezer Hartshorn married, July 31, 1734, Martha Whipple.

Henry Robey married, Oct. 9, 1734, Abigail Butler.

Ebenezer Knowlton married, Nov. 6, 1734, Jane Philbrick.

Jeremiah Clough married, Nov. 7, 1734, Deliverance Leavitt.

Hugh Cragg married, Nov. 28, 1734, Jane Worlin, both of Concord.

John Philbrick married, Jan. 16, 1735, Judah Sanborn.

Benjamin Towl married, Jan. 30, 1735, Rebecca Garland.

Jacob Mirick married, Feb. 4, 1735, Mary Batchelder.

Jedidiah Blake married, March 27, 1735, Mary Roe.

Thomas Knowlton married, April 2, 1735, Anna Swain.

Lieut. Ebenezer Weare married, April 3, 1735, Prudence Locke.

Samuel Melcher married, May 8, 1735, Esther Green.

John Whipple married, May 14, 1735, Martha Baker, both of Ipswich.

Nathan Hoit married, Aug. 4, 1735, Rebecca Rawlins.
Jonathan Basker married, Sept. 2, 1735, Rhoda Philbrick.
Jabez Smith married, Sept. 25, 1735, Lydia Brown.
William Johnson married, Oct. 6, 1735, Mercy Janison.
Worthington Moulton married, Oct. 9, 1735, Abigail Moulton.
Samuel Carry married, Oct. 19, 1735, Susanna Latour, both of Boston.
Gideon Dow married, Nov. 12, 1735, Lydia Perkins.
John Roe married, Dec. 4, 1735, Leah Blake.
James Smyth married, Jan. 1, 1736, Elizabeth Smyley, both of Worcester.
Elisha Blake married, Jan. 14, 1736, Mary Brown.
John Turner married, Feb. 5, 1736, Abigail Chase (Salem).
Mr. Joseph Burbeen married, Oct. 8, 1736, Mrs. Esther Pond, both of Woburn.
Abraham Moulton married, Oct. 13, 1736, Dorothy Batchelder.
Benjamin Sanborn married, Nov. 25, 1736, Dorothy Prescott.
Elijah Bent married, Dec. 1, 1736, Susannah Stone, both of Sudbury.

(To be continued.)

NOTES FROM ENNISKILLEN, IRELAND, PARISH REGISTER.*

Alexander, of John Fulton, bapt., 15 Sept., 1666.
Susanna, of Thomas Guttridge, bapt., 3 Dec., 1667.
Esther, of John Fulton, bapt., 19 Feb., 1667-8.
John, of Richard Heaton, bapt., 27 Mar., 1668.
Arthur, of John Fulton, buried, 26 Sept., 1668.

* The registers begin in 1666 and are fairly well preserved. At one period the entries are few and so carelessly intermixed with vestry proceedings as to lead to the belief that many omissions occurred.

Ann, wife of John Gott, buried, 7 Oct., 1668.

William, of James and Jane Irvin, bapt., 6 Mar., 1700-1.

William Irwin and Joan Armstrong married, 18 Nov., 1702.

George and Robert of Francis and Mary Irvin, bapt., 12 Mar., 1701-2.

A child of Francis Irvin, bapt., 16 Mar., 1701-2.

David, of John Fulton, buried, 16 Mar., 1703.

Elizabeth, of John Fulton, buried, 21 June, 1704.

Francis Irwin and Mary Wilson, married, 20 July, 1704.

Jean, of Robert and Mary Irwin, bapt., 10 Sept., 1704.

Thomas, of Francis and Mary Irwin, bapt., 2 Nov., 1706.

Mrs. Elizabeth Irvin, buried, 10 Mar., 1707-8.

John, of Thomas Hatten, buried, 17 Aug., 1709.

Katherine Hatton, buried, 9 Mar., 1709-10.

Angelica, of James Forester, bapt., 1710.

James Guttery and Judeth Beard married, 12 Jan., 1710-11.

James, of James and Mary Irvine, bapt., 18 Mar., 1712.

Allan, of John Fulton, buried, 30 Oct., 1711.

Elizabeth, of James Irvine, buried, 5 Nov., 1712.

James, of James and Jane Forester, bapt., 29 Aug., 1712.

A daughter of John Fulton, buried, 5 April, 1714.

John, of Thomas and Mary Irvine, bapt., 26 June, 1715.

Gustavus Hamilton and Jane Cathart, married, 14 Jan., 17[21].

Willoughby Irvine and Mary Elliot, married, 5 Jan., 1736.

William, of William and Mary Gutthrie, bapt., 11 May, 1747.

Mrs. Johnston Hamilton, buried, 13 May, 1787.

KITTERY, ME. — The vital records of Kittery are appearing in "Old Eliot." The greater portion are already printed in Lapham's "Biographer and Genealogist" and the "Collections of the Maine Historical Society." Comparison of Lapham's copies with the manuscript copy in the possession of the N.E. Hist. Gen. Soc. reveals many omissions in the former.

NOTES AND QUERIES.

PRINDLE. — The Stoddard genealogy states "Asa Stoddard married Armenal Prindle, whose father was killed at the battle of Bennington." What was her father's name? Asa Stoddard was from Woodbury, Conn. HOLDEN.

CLARK. — Christopher Clark, of Louisa Co., Va., died about 1752; married Penelope ———. Who was she?

HOLDEN.

SKILLMAN. — "Information wanted concerning the antecedents and descendants of Thomas Skillman, whose name appears as one of the 'Subscribers' to the Reformed Church of Newtown, L.I., in 1731." M. R. C.

WHAT was the name of Jane, who married Joshua Bennett, probably in Marblehead? Possibly her name was Bridge. Also, date of birth of their children, Rachel, Deborah, and Eliza. Some of the family kept a famous school in Salem or Marblehead. W. T. E.

TUCKER. — Who was Charles Green, whose daughter Olive married Stephen Tucker, of Milton, Mass., and later of Brandon, Vt.? G. M. T.

GREEN. — Who was the mother of Olive Green and wife of Charles Green? Olive was married July 3, 1791.

G. M. T.

MRS. MARTHA L. WEYMAN sends the following:

Greenwich, Mass., Records. Married, October 15th 1792, Mary Stevenson of Greenwich, Mass., to Alden Lothrop of Easton and Enfield.

Easton, Mass., Records. Oliver Williams of Easton, Mass., married Anna Lothrop, March 6th 1791.

Pelham, Mass., Records. Samuel Stevenson and Martha Sloan were married April 26th 1787.

I inclose you herewith a partial answer to Query No. 61, page 197, Vol. 4, of your magazine.

ARTHUR E. GAGE.

LIEUT. THOMAS GAGE. — From a deposition sworn to by him May 20, 1692, it appears that he was then 36 years of age, which would make him born in 1656; see "Witchcraft in Salem Village in 1692," by Winfield E. Nevins, page 55. He married first Sarah —, who from a deposition sworn to 28 June, 1692, appears to have been then 40 years of age and consequently born in 1652. He married second Elizabeth Mighill, widow of Ezekiel Mighill. She was the daughter of Ezekiel Northend and was born in Rowley, Oct. 19, 1656; she married first Humphrey Hobson, July 25, 1682, by whom she had one son, Humphrey Hobson, born July 10, 1684; her first husband died Aug. 8, 1684, and she married second, Oct. 10, 1686, Ezekiel Mighill; her second husband died July 3, 1694, without issue, and she married third Thomas Gage, June 11, 1695, by whom she had one child, Elizabeth; she died 14 July, 1737, aged 80 years. (Church record, Rowley.)

Thomas* Gage was appointed a lieutenant by Governor Dudley, and was slain on the disastrous expedition against Port Royal in Nova Scotia in August, 1707. It is said that he was beheaded by a cannon-ball. By his will dated April, 1707, just prior to the sailing of this expedition from Boston, it appears that he left a widow, Elizabeth, and the following children :

1. Thomas, born 1678 (baptized in Beverly 15 March, 1685); married Mary Smith, Dec. 10, 1697.
2. William, born 1680 (baptized in Beverly 15 March, 1685); married Mercy Barker, July 9, 1709.
3. Sarah, born (baptized 15 March, 1685, Beverly); married Thomas Wood, Sept. 30, 1715.
4. Mary, born (baptized 1 Nov., 1685, Beverly); married Nathaniel Jewett, Jan. 15, 1706/7.

* This Thomas I think to be a son of Thomas Gage, of Yarmouth, who died July, 1695, leaving a will in which he mentions sons Thomas and Benjamin by name, and other children whom he does not name.

5. Joanna, born (baptized 29 July, 1688, in Beverly) ; married Ebenezer Wood, Aug. 11, 1718.
6. Susanna, born ; married John Dickinson Jan. 7, 1718/9. She died 11 July, 1750.
7. Elizabeth, born March 17, 1699 ; married Edward Sanders, Dec. 18, 1716.

Moses Gage, born 1705. Died Oct. 2, 1774, in his 69th year. Married Sarah Nelson, daughter of Gershom and Abigail (Elithorpe) Nelson, who was born Feb. 27, 1707. She died in 1791, in her 84th year.

Children :

1. Moses, born 1732 ; married Mary Boynton, Feb. 17, 1758.
2. Daniel, born June 1, 1734 ; married Priscilla Jones, June 1, 1756.
3. Molly, born 1737 ; married Phinehas Davis, Aug. 23, 1764.

Whether they had other children is uncertain.*

Thomas Gage, born 1678 ; married Mary Smith, Dec. 10, 1697, daughter of Samuel Smith. She was born 6 Oct., 1678.

Children :

1. John, born March 7, 1698/9.
2. Sarah, born Dec. 29, 1701.
3. Moses,† born March 26, 1705.
4. Hannah, born Dec. 8, 1708.
5. Mary, born Aug. 1, 1711.

SOUTHWORTH. — S. G. Webber, 146 Marlboro street, Boston, is collecting material for an account of the Southworth family. He would be pleased to receive facts in regard to this family.

HALE. — A genealogy of the descendants of Thomas Hale, of Watton, Eng., and Newbury, Mass., has appeared. Price \$5.

* For above, see "History of Milford," by Isaac Ballou, page 709.

† The date given above for the birth of Moses would seem to have a tendency to identify him with the Moses of Mendon and Milford mentioned in Ballou's "History of Milford." Perhaps the John and Hannah named above are also the John and Hannah mentioned by Ballou.

SHINKLE GENEALOGY. — The family settled in America in 1717. Collateral lines are given. Price \$3.

KIMBALL FAMILY. — L. A. Morrison and Dr. S. P. Sharples have compiled and published a history of the Kimballs of America, with some account of the family in England. Two volumes, aggregating 1,300 pages, were required. There are many illustrations. The family name is as uncommon in England as it is numerous here.

The origin of the various Kimball families in America is given, and great efforts have been made, with remarkable success, to "round up" the clan.

Of the edition of 1,000 copies a small number remain. Copies may be had of Dr. Sharples, Boston, and the price is lower than that for most genealogical books. The appearance of the volumes is very attractive.

"THE KIMBALL FAMILY NEWS" has been established, with the intention of continuing the genealogy of the Kimball family to the present time. The Genealogical Department is in charge of Dr. S. P. Sharples. It is especially valuable to those who already have the History, as during the year it will contain much additional matter supplementary to that already in the History. It is published at fifty cents a year. Address "The Kimball Family News," Topeka, Kan.

FROST. — At Eliot, Me., 5 July, 1897, the Historical Society commemorated the 200th anniversary of the massacre of Major Charles Frost by Indians. The proceedings of that day have been published, and among other addresses is a carefully prepared account of the origin of the Frost family, and of the early generations in New England.

Major Charles Frost was son of Nicholas Frost and Bethia Cadwalla, and grandson of John Frost and Anna Hamden. Nicholas was born in Tiverton, Devonshire, in 1585. Further details may be found in the publication entitled "Old Eliot," published by Augustin Caldwell.

SHERRIN GENEALOGY.—The family settled in America in 1717. Collateral lines are given. Price 4s.

KIMBALL FAMILY.—E. A. Kimball and Dr. S. P. Sharpley have compiled and published a history of the Kimballs of America, with some account of the family in England. Two volumes, aggregating 1,300 pages, were republished. There are many illustrations. The family name is as uncommon in England as it is numerous here.

The origin of the various Kimball families in America is given, and great efforts have been made, with remarkable success, to "work up" the clan.

Of the edition of 1,000 copies a small number remain. Copies may be had of Mr. Sharpley, Boston, and the price is lower than that of most genealogical books. The appearance of the volumes is very attractive.

"The Kimball Family Tree" has been published with the intention of continuing the genealogy of the Kimball family in the present time. The Genealogical Department is in charge of Dr. S. P. Sharpley. It is especially valuable to those who already have the history, as during the time it will contain much additional matter supplementary to that already in the history. It is published at fifty cents a year. Address "The Kimball Family Tree," Tipton, Iowa.

FRONT.—At Ellettsville, Ind., Sept. 1, 1897, the Historical Society presented the 300th anniversary of the movement of Major Charles Front by Indiana. The proceedings of that day have been published, and among other subjects is a carefully prepared account of the origin of the Front family, and of the early generations in New England.

Major Charles Front was son of Nicholas Front and Helen Caldwell, and grandson of John Front and Anna Hamman. Nicholas was born in Thirston, Dorsetshire, in 1667. For further details may be found in the publication entitled "Old Ellettsville," published by Augusta Caldwell.

BOOK NOTES.

THE HIGHLANDS OF SCOTLAND IN 1750, from Mss. 104 in the King's Library, British Museum. With an introduction by Andrew Lang. William Blackwood & Sons, Edinburgh, 1898. 8vo, pp. 169.

This account by a Protestant sent to learn the condition of the Highlands, so lately in revolt, is without doubt strongly prejudiced by the writer's sympathies and his desire to please his superiors. Yet it is a most remarkable and interesting narrative.

Observers of that date not in sympathy with clan loyalty and Celtic romance unite in describing the apparently desperate condition of the poorer classes in the Highlands. They are described as practically enslaved, ignorant, and poverty stricken. From what is written by Lowland and English authorities there is but little surprise exhibited by Mr. Lang in his preface, that when cattle became of more account than claymores, the clansmen were treated, in many cases, with callous want of consideration.

The manuscript deals with the matter under consideration by clan divisions. A genealogical account of the clan, and a brief historical account of the late doings of members and chiefs, are recited, together with views on the present conditions, political and economical, and proposed remedies.

It is a book worth reading.

THE FIRST HALF-CENTURY OF THE ESSEX INSTITUTE, commemorated at Salem, March first and second, 1898. Salem, 1898. 8vo, paper, pp. 100.

This reprint from the bulletin of the Essex Institute contains not only the President's Address, nineteen pages, but a list of members covering twenty-two pages and embracing

about 900 names. Less than ten years ago the membership list was about one-third as large. During the past decade, more than ever, the Institute has experienced great prosperity, and under the watchful care of the late Thomas Franklin Hunt has reached a point where either it must continue to broaden and gain, or drop to the mediocre level of the usual local historical society. The membership to-day embraces about 450 residents of Salem, nearly 150 residents of the county outside of Salem, as many more in and about Boston, and the remainder scattered widely throughout this country and Europe.

One cannot read the remarks of the President without feeling that the men who supported the late Henry Wheatland in his life-long work have, by that aid, done well by their fellow-men. And their names will be found in every walk in life, from the eminent scientist and the prosperous merchant to the school-boy and the craftsman who have gladly contributed each what they could.

It is to be regretted, although space was found for twenty-six pages of acceptances and regrets to invitations to attend the celebration, that the undelivered, but undoubtedly carefully prepared and valuable address of Vice-President Goodell should not have been placed before members of the society in print. More than one of those attending the reunion, knowing that Mr. Goodell had been especially invited to address the meeting, had looked forward to most interesting reminiscences of his connection with the Institute, extending over thirty years and exceeded by few in length of service as an active worker and officer in the society.

A GENEALOGICAL society has been organized in California, with headquarters at San Francisco. The State Historical Society there is practically dead.

THE Western Reserve Historical Society have entered their fine new building.

SOME NOTES REGARDING THE WEARE ARMS THE WEARE OF HONOLULU, HAWAII AND THE WEARE OF MASSACHUSETTS

BY J. H. HARRIS

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**SOME NOTES REGARDING THE WEARE ARMS,
THE WEARES OF DEVONSHIRE, ENGLAND,
AND THE WEARES OF MASSACHUSETTS.**

BY EBEN PUTNAM.

The arms illustrated in this issue are those borne by the Weares of Clyst Honiton, Devonshire, and of Weare-Gifford. The latter line failed of male issue. The Clyst Honiton family appears in the Visitation of Devonshire for 1620. The same arms are found in use as early as 1698 by Nathaniel and Peter Weare, of Hampton, N.H.

The parish register of Clyst Honiton begins with entries of 1683, and is therefore valueless to establish a connection between that family and the Newbury family.

Another aggravating circumstance is the large number of missing wills of testators of the name, which should be at Exeter.

The Visitation pedigree concerns itself only with the actual line of the family using the arms, and is not by any means complete.

A visit made to Exeter, to Gloucester, and to neighboring places, together with the results of searches both in Devonshire and London, have placed in the writer's possession a considerable amount of Weare memoranda.

The name Weare, or Ware, is often spelled Wier, Wyer, Were, and Where. Wier and Wyer are the forms most often found in Scotland and Ireland and among the descendants of Scotch immigrants of those families, but it is also not uncommon in Devonshire and on our Essex county records in relation to the Newbury family.

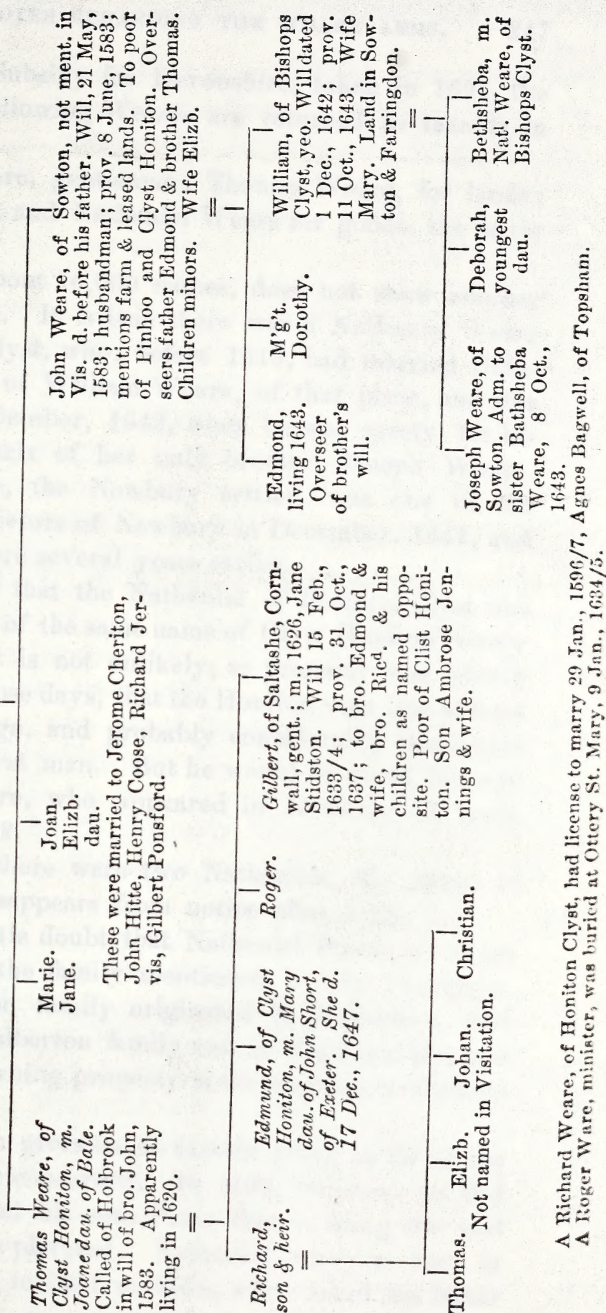
From the wills remaining, from lay subsidies, and from MSS. and printed collections relating to Devonshire the following tentative pedigree of the family of Weare, of Clyst Honiton, has been formed :

WEARE OF PINHOO AND CLYST HONITON.

Italics show the extent of the Visitation pedigree.

Edmond Weare, "of Halberton,"

prob. identical with Edmond Weare, of Pinhoo, yeoman, will dated 28 Dec., 1584; proved 9 Jan., 1584, at Exeter. Names wife Alice; children of deceased son John; of son Thomas. Other children as named below. Servant Henry Weare.



In the Lay Subsidy for Devonshire, taken in 1624, the names of the following Weares are returned as taxable in Clyst Honiton :

Edmond Weare, gentleman ; Thomas Weare, for lands ; Richard, Robert, and Nathaniel Weare for goods, the latter paying £3.

The list, of about 16,000 names, does not show another Nathaniel Weare. It is true there was a Nathaniel Weare as of Bishops Clyst, who, before 1643, had married Bathsheba, daughter of William Weare, of that place, and was living there in October, 1643, when he was surety for his wife, administratrix of her only brother, Joseph Weare. Nathaniel Weare, the Newbury settler, was one of the ninety-one proprietors of Newbury in December, 1642, and may have been here several years earlier.

It is not likely that the Nathaniel of Bishops Clyst was identical with him of the same name of Clyst Honiton twenty years earlier. It is not unlikely, as property was slowly accumulated in those days, that the Honiton man was at least thirty years of age, and probably considerably the senior of the Bishops Clyst man. But he would be about the age of Nathaniel Weare, who appeared in Newbury as early as December, 1642.

Assuming that there were two Nathaniels, the elder, of Clyst Honiton, disappears from notice after 1624.-

There can be little doubt that Nathaniel Weare, of Clyst Honiton, was of the family mentioned in the Visitation. The Clyst Honiton family originated in Halberton, and members of the Halberton family and of the Clyst Honiton family are found owning property in the parishes contiguous to Clyst Honiton.

The investigation gives us no further proof as far as the English records are concerned. In 1693, however, we find Nathaniel Weare and his son, Peter Weare, using the seal bearing the arms as pictured. Nathaniel, who was born in England, it is said, in 1631 or 1635, who visited his father

at Nantucket as late as 1660, was twice the agent of the New Hampshire people to England between 1683 and 1689. He was in England considerable time on both occasions, and would naturally seek his relatives, especially if he landed at a port in the southwest of England, which probably was the case. When he used the seal, ten years later, he must have known whether or no he had right to do so. Nor have we any knowledge that that was his first use of the seal.

This use of the arms would certainly seem to indicate a connection with the Clyst Honiton family, and the possibility of the Nathaniel of Clyst Honiton in 1624 being identical with the emigrant is much strengthened.

There has never been any connection discovered between the Peter Weare family, of York, Me., and the Newbury family. The Peter Weare who was settled at York in 1638 was born in 1618, and was named executor of the will of his brother, Thomas Weare, of Charfield in Gloucester, in 1684, which will was proved 3 Oct., 1685. Peter Weare crossed the water to take administration.

Robert Ware, who was of Dedham in 1643, and who died in 1699 at an advanced age, may have been from Devonshire, but no connection has been discovered between the Dedham and other families.* An early Virginian, Nicholas Ware, married, prior to 1655, Ann, daughter of William Vassal, of Scituate.

The names of every one of the American founders occur among the Weares of Devonshire.

Nathaniel Weare, or, as he was sometimes described, Wyer, was a proprietor of Newbury in December, 1642. He removed to Nantucket, having given a deed of land in Hampton to his son Nathaniel before 1662. The Court files of Essex contain a paper relating to a runaway squaw of John Bishop's, in which Nathaniel Weare testifies being at the house of Thomas Macy in Nantucket when Bishop got the squaw in May of that year.

* This Robert left several sons, one of whom was named Nathaniel.

at Nantasket as late as 1880, was twice the agent of the New Hampshire people to England between 1888 and 1889. He was in England considerable time on both occasions, and would naturally seek his relatives, especially if he landed at a port in the southwest of England, which probably was the case. When he went the next ten years later, he must have known whether or no he had right to do so. How many we any knowledge that that was his first use of the seal.

This use of the arms would certainly seem to indicate a connection with the City of London family, and the possibility of the Nantasket or City of London in 1881 being identical with the original is much strengthened.

There has never been any connection discovered between the Peter House family of York, Mass., and the Nantasket family. The Peter House who was settled at York in 1630 was born in 1610, and was named executor of the will of his father, Thomas House of York in 1630, in 1634, which will was proved 1634, 1635. Peter House married the wife in 1634.

Robert House was born in London in 1645, and died in 1690 at an advanced age, and was buried in 1690, but no connection has been discovered between the House and other houses. As early as 1630, *Abraham House* married, and in 1645, *Abraham House* married.

The names of these two of the Nantasket family seem among the names of the House.

Nathaniel House, who was mentioned in the *House* was a proprietor of Nantasket in 1630, and was moved to Nantasket, having given a deed of land in 1630 to his son Nathaniel before 1630. The Court files of 1630 contain a paper relating to a runaway slave of John Bishop, in which Nathaniel House was testifying at the house of Thomas May in Nantasket when Bishop got the slave in May of that year.

*The House of Nantasket was one of those who named Nathaniel.

Nathaniel Weare died at Nantucket, 1 March, 1681; his wife was Sarah.

Children:

Esther, or Hester, born probably as early as 1629. She married 1 Nov., 1647, Capt. Benjamin Swett (who is called brother-in-law by Nathaniel Weare, Jr., and who was also a party to the deposition in the Bishop case). She married, second, Stephen Greenleaf.

Nathaniel, born either 1631 or 1635, who visited England as mentioned above, was chief justice of New Hampshire, councillor, etc., and through him descend most of the New Hampshire Weares. His son Peter was born 15 Nov., 1660. Peter was a colonel, councillor, and justice. His father died in 1718 and he about 1745. His brother, Nathaniel, born 29 Aug., 1669, was also a justice and speaker of the house. He alone continued the name.

Nathaniel, Sr., was also probably father of the following (*Sargent*):

Robert.

Daniel.

Peter, who died at Newbury 12 Oct., 1653.

Colonel Peter, in 1698, gave a power of attorney to Capt. John Pickering, which he acknowledged before his father, Nathaniel Weare, and sealed with the arms. The same seal he used twenty-four years later.

Among the descendants of Nathaniel Weare are the Weares of Chicago, who operate the North American Transportation Company running to Alaska, and who have lately established a town and trading post on the Yukon bearing the name Weare.

In a later issue we propose printing many wills making mention of persons bearing names identical with the emigrants to America, together with other memoranda of interest.

The country northeast of Exeter to the border of Somersetshire was more prolific in Weares than other parts of Devonshire, but the name occurred in the early part of the

seventeenth century very generally in a belt of country beginning on the borders of Somerset, with Halberton as a centre, and running southwest to Exeter. There the direction changed, and the belt broadened, so that it ran due west to Cornwall. In the southern parts of Gloucester the name is found, particularly in the vicinity of Charfield and Hawkesbury. It is also found in Somerset and Cornwall.

Pinhoo, Clyst Honiton, and Bishops Clyst are neighboring parishes, all near Exeter. The Visitation states that the Clyst Honiton family originated in Halberton, which is known to be an early home of the family. The Pinhoo Sowton family would appear to be one with that of Clyst Honiton.

The Halberton family numbered among its members Humphry Weare, of the Inner Temple, London, who, in 1620, was recorder for Tiverton, and Henry Weare, of London, who died in 1603. The father of Humphry Weare was living in 1618, as was his brother (Gen.) John [died 1621], and probably another brother, Thomas, who died in 1624, leaving sons Thomas and Humphry. Other Halberton Weares, contemporaries of the above, were John of the Orchard, whose son John married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Dart, in 1623; Thomas, of Corham; and Nicholas, styled gentleman.

None of the above appear in the Visitation pedigree—though, with one or two exceptions, they were styled gentlemen, and appear to have held considerable property. When the record was made at the Visitation it was evidently a point of honor to show that the Clyst Honiton family claimed kinship with the older family at Halberton; hence we have the entry "of Halberton" affixed to the record of Edmond Weare. It would appear without much question that Edmond was he of Pinhoo whose will was made in 1584, at which time children of his son Thomas were living. It is therefore almost impossible that Nathaniel Weare, of Clyst Honiton in 1624, could have been a *descendant* of the elder

Edmond. There are no arms credited to Weare of Clyst Honiton in the printed Visitation, but the arms borne by them are those ascribed by Burke to the Weare-Gifford family. Nathaniel Weare, of Hampton, if rightfully possessed of the arms used, as the editor of this magazine believes, came by these arms by descent from a common progenitor with the Visitation family.

INQUISITION POST MORTEM FOR THOMAS BISHOP, OF SUSSEX, 1559.

Chancery Inquisition post mortem, 2d Elizabeth. Part II. No. 50.
Public Record Office.

(Abstract.)

THOMAS BYSSHOPP. SUSSEX.

[The Inquisitions Post Mortem of the English, and the Retours of the Scots, are a variety of record not found in the United States. The English Inquisitions are in two series, that of the Exchequer, beginning with the reign of Edward I., and that of the Court of Chancery, beginning with Henry III. They extend to 1644.

When a tenant *in capite* died the king at once sent down a writ to the escheator, who was appointed for each county, and who was so called from having to look after the fines or escheats due to the king. The jury summoned by the escheator enquired of what land the dead man died seized, and by what rent he held it, and who and how old was his heir. The writ and the return were sent back together into chancery, where they are filed and are consultable. We are indebted to N. H. Bishop, Esq., for permission to print this interesting abstract. — EDITOR.]

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So seised the said Thomas Bishop bequeathed by his Will

the manor of Drayton in co. Sussex, held by Wm. Stapleton, gent., the manor or farm of Stubcroft, the lands called Medmenye and Conyes in the Manwood, the lands called the Hillandes in the tenure of Thomas Stanneye, gent., and John Busbye, the lands in . . . called Sturmans in the holding of Rumbrydges in the Manwood, the lands called the Frythewood in Pulboroughe, his lands called Chaunces in Fyttelworthe and Stopham in the tenure of one Baker, his lands at Holney Brydge in Grensted in the tenure of John A Gate, the yard of land in Bedinge sometime belonging to the chantry of Steynenge in the tenure of Thomas Taylor, his lands called the Rye and Catteslande Herdes with the Brokes that John Wheler now holds in farm, the cottage called the Clanmore, Hollandes and Gutterne Welles in the parish of Henfelde, the Brycke house in Henfelde which he bought of John A Wodde of Cowfelde, and the meadows called Kyngston mede all in co. Sussex, to Thomas Bysshopp his son and heir apparent and his heirs; for default the same to go to his (testator's) heir. The said Thomas Bysshopp was likewise seized of the Manor of Hunston and 8 messuages, 8 gardens, 8 barns, 1 dove-cote, 140 acres of land &c., &c., in Hunston in co. Sussex.

So seized he bequeathed to Elizabeth his wife for her dower the site and farm of the said manor and all the demesne lands thereto belonging which Robert Arnold had in farm and all the "tenauntries" and copyholders lying in Hunston and adjoining the said farm: to hold the same for her life. The said Thomas Bysshopp was likewise seized of 17 tenements, 5 barns, 10 gardens, 6 tofts, 150 acres of land, 210 acres of pasture, 40 acres of meadow, . . . of wood, and 13s. 10½d of rent and the rent of 1 lb. of pepper in the several tenures of Thomas Vaggar, Henry Deale, Thomas Walter, Robert Skaldeville, William Garton, Thomas Bunney, Ric. Whight, Thomas Bakon, Agnes Myll, widow, Rob. Barneham, Robert Spark, John Blake, Thos. Holmes, Thos. Stylman, John Brande, Ric. Idsworth, John

Burryshe, Juliane Amere, widow, — Wryght, Thomas Nowell, Ralph Cornellys, Ralph Parson, Thos. Bolter, Will Farnfelde, Ralph Parson, John Chrystopher, John Gallopp, John Bachilor, and John Cannon, in the parishes of Emelye, Selsey, Pagham, Merston, Estergate, Fyssheborne, Rumbaldswyke, the parish of St. Pancras next Chichester, Northmundham, Bursham (?), Ploydon (?), . . . Asshehurst, Wasshyngton, Henfelde, and Edberton, in co. Sussex; also 1 meadow . . . in Henfelde containing 4 acres.

Thomas, Duke of Norfolk, and John Suygo, merchant of Milan, by Indenture dated 20. Feb. 1. Eliz. [1559] made between themselves of the one part and the said Thomas Byshop, by the name of Thomas Byssshop of Henfelde in co. Sussex Eng., of the other part, in consideration of the sum of £439. 6s. 8d to them in hand paid by the said Thomas and £233. 6s. 8d to be paid to them on or about the 28th. . . . gave to the said Thomas and his heirs for ever the manor of Bedyngge and Bedyngge barnes and all the messuages, lands, &c., thereto belonging lying in Beadyngge, Shorham, Cowfolde, Slawgham, Warnynglede in co. Sussex, late in the several tenures of the said Thomas Bishop, Thomas Smalwell, Dennice Monde, Edward Brande, Thomas Taylor, John Gallop and Elizabeth his wife, Thomas. . . . , John Grene, John Harres senior, John Harres junior, Peter Snelling, John Snellenge, John Gylham, John Knowfelde, John Leymande, William Grenyer, Thomas More, John Heyfolde, Thomas P. . . . John Pollington, John A Gate, Rice Okenden of Hyde, John Foster, William Sherleye, gent., Thomas Austen or his relict, Richard Parsons, John Roberts, John Brodbridge, gent., Ric. A. Wood, John Eston, Richard . . . Hugh Vincent or his widow, Richard Gretwyke, John A Woode, and John A Gate.

Afterwards a fine was levied of the premises to the use of the said Thomas Byshop.

William Hamms late of Wormynghurst, yeoman, long

before the death of the said Thomas Bysshop was seized of one tenement and about 16 acres of land called Frayes, Basselles, Fostercroft, and Fyggesmede lying in West Grensted: so seized he for a sum of money to him paid by Robert Coppoke late of Henfelde and Anne his wife, sister of the said William, granted the said premises to the said Robert and Anne and to William Coleman and their heirs for ever. After the death of the said Robert Coffoke the said Anne his wife entered into the said premises and is still thereof seized, the reversion thereof belonging to Richard Copoke son and heir of the said Robert. Afterwards the said Richard for the sum of £5 sold the said premises and the reversion thereof to the said Thomas Bysshop: to hold to him and his heirs for ever.

By his Will the said Thomas Bysshop left all the residue of his lands &c., to his executors during the minority of his heir and until his said heir had sued out livery thereof, the rents thereof to be used to pay his debts and to perform his Will.

The manor of Drayton alias Westcourte Drayton together with the 200 acres of land, 100 acres of pasture, 10 acres of meadow, 3 acres of wood and 34s. 6d rent, in the parishes of Ovinge, Merston and Spenge, now in the tenure of William Stapleton, are held of the Queen in chief by the 20th. part of a knight's fee as by Letters Patent dated 17 July 36 Henry VIII [1544] made by King Henry VIII to the said Thomas Bysshop more plainly appears: the said premises are worth per ann. clear £16. 13. 4. The manor or messuage of Stubcrofte in the parishes of Estwytheringe and Bracklesham and the said 100 acres of land, 70 acres of pasture, 30 acres of meadow, and common of pasture for 100 sheep and all manner of cattle in Medmenye in the parishes of Bracklesham, Estwytheringe and Erneleye now in the occupation of Thomas Badye, are held of Henry, Earl of Erundel, as of his manor of Bigner, by what services is not known: they are worth per annum, clear, £10. 16s. 8d. The barn

[orrium] and 16 acres of land called Conneyes, in the occupation of Thomas Brande and the common of pasture for 100 sheep &c., in Medmenye in the tenure of Richard Grene, are held of the Dean & Chapter of Chichester, by what services the jurors know not: they are worth per annum, clear, £5. 6s. 8d. The 44 acres of land and 30 acres of pasture called Hyllondes in the several tenures of Thomas Stanney and John Busby are held of the said Earl as of his manor of Almodyton, by the yearly rent of one penny and suit at court, and are worth per annum, clear, £4. 18s. The tenement and 12 acres of land and the pool called *Awayer called Sturmans* [sic] in the tenure of Francis Rumbriger are held of the said Dean & Chapter, by what service is not known, and are worth per annum, clear, 26s. 8d. The cottage, 40 acres of land, and 4 acres of wood called Frythwood in the parish of Pulboroughe, in the tenure of John Mychelborne are held of the heirs of Thomas Onley Esq., late of Pulborowe decd., as of their manor of Pulborowe by fealty and suit at court, and are worth per annum, clear, £5. The said tenement, barn, 20 acres of land, 10 acres of pasture, 4 acres of meadow, 6 acres of wood, and 6^d. rent called Chaunces in the tenure of John Bowker are held of the said Earl as of his manor of Stopham by fealty and suit at court, and are worth per annum, clear 49s. 2d. The messuage, 16 acres of land, 10 acres of pasture, 6 acres of meadow, and 4 acres of wood, and common of pasture for 6 oxen in a certain place called Brockwood in Grensted next Holney Bryge in the tenure of John A Gate are held of Henry Marvyn Esq., as of his manor of Dursford by fealty only and are worth per annum, clear 53s. 4d. The toft and virgate of land in Bedinge in the tenure of Thomas Taylor are held of the Queen by fealty only in free socage, as of her manor of Ockynge in co. Surrey, and are worth per annum, clear 25s. The parcel of land or pasture called the Rye and Cattleslandherdes in Henfelde in the tenure of John Wheler and the cottage, barn, and lands called Clanmare,

Hollands, and Gutternewells in Hendeffelde are held of the Bishop of Chichester as of his manor of Stretham in co. Surrey by fealty and suit at the court of the hundred of Typnoke every three weeks and are worth per annum, clear, £17. 11. 4. The tenement and garden called the Brykenhouse late purchased of John A Wood of Cowfolde are held of John Scrase as of his manor of Mowescewe by fealty only and are worth per annum, clear, 30s. The meadow called Kyngston mede is held of the heir of Lord Sanders as of his manor of Brodwater by fealty only and is worth per annum, clear 13/4^d. The manor of Hunston and other the premises there are held of the Queen as of her manor of Halfenaked by fealty and paying one pair of gilt spurs after the death of each tenant and are worth per annum, clear, £39. 15s. 7d. The premises in the several tenures of Thomas Vaggar, Henry Deale, &c., &c., are held of the Queen as of her manor of Nyghtymber, sometime belonging to the Archbishopric of Canterbury, by fealty and suit at court only, and are worth per annum, clear £16. 0. 5. The premises in the several tenures of — Wright, Thomas Nowell, and Ralph Cornellys are held of the Queen as of her manor of East Greenwich in co. Kent, by fealty only in free socage and not in chief, and are worth nothing per annum. The premises in the tenures of Ralph Parson and Thomas Bolter are held of William West Esq., Lord Lawarre, as of her manor of Somptynge Wylde by fealty only and are worth per annum clear 18^s. 8^d. The premises in the tenures of Will. Farnefolde, gent., and Will. Parson in Asshehurst are held of the Queen in chief by the 200th part of a knights fee, and are worth per annum, clear, 11s. The premises in the tenure of John Christopher in Wasshington are held of Thomas Browne Esq., as of his manor of Chancton by fealth and suit at court and are worth per annum, clear 13s. 4d. The premises in the tenures of John Gallop, John Bachilor, and John Cannon in the parishes of Henfelde and Edberton are held of the Bishop of Chichester as of his manor of Streatham by

fealty and suit at the court of the hundred of Typnoke every three weeks, and are worth per annum, clear, 50s. The meadow called Hawmeade in Henfelde is held of the said Bishop as of his said manor by fealty and suit at the court of the said hundred and is worth per annum, clear, 6s. 8d. The manor of Bedinge and Bedinge Barnes is held of the Queen in chief by the 100th. part of a knights fee and is worth per annum, clear, £30. The reversion of the said tenements purchased of the said Richard Copoke is held of Thomas, Duke of Norfolk, as of his manor of Westgrensted in co. Sussex, by fealty only, and will be worth per annum, clear, 20s. after the death of the said Anne Copok.

Thomas Bysshopp died at Henfelde the 6th. day of January, 2 Eliz. [1559-60] ; Thomas Bysshopp is his son and heir, and is now aged 6 years, 8 months, and 6 days, and no more.

ESSEX, MASS., DEEDS.

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6-10^{mo}.-1653.

[46] Roger Spencer of Charleston, merchant,
 Charleston & Kenilbeck for £215 to John and Nathaniel Newgate, mortgage of house in Charleston in occupation of Mr. Cooke, and the moiety of a plantation in Kenebeck to be repaid in money, or beaver and oil, 30 November next.

24-6-1653.

Abraham Bell of Charlston, waterman, for 45sh.
 Salem. sells to Jeffry Massy of Salem, planter, one two-acre lot in Salem, late in possession of John Bulfinch, adjoining lands of Francis Skerry and George Ropes.

24-6-1653.

John Jackson of Salem, mariner, for £9.10,
 Salem. sells to Jeffry Massey, of Salem, planter, upland

and meadow, near Winter Harbor, as by deed dated 20-9, 1651.

24-6-1653.

John Holgrave of Salem [47], for £11.15. to
Salem. Jeffry Massey of Salem, planter, and Nicholas

Woodbery of Salem, mariner, farm of 150 acres, adjoining on the east to the long hill called Mr. Alford's hill unto the bound tree of Edward Bishop, thence southward along the country way to Leeches Hill, upon the west by the side of Jacob Barnard and Pasca Foot's land, and upon the north by the common and 15 acres in the great meadow within bounds of Wenham, 14 Apr., 1652.

25-8-1653.

(20) Gervase Garford of Salem, gent., sells to

Salem. Eliz^b. Hardee of Salem, widow, for £80, his dwelling house, 10 acres of arrable land, $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres of meadow near Draper's Point uppon Basse river adjoining to the house, and 80 acres between Lord's Hill and Birts Point on Basse River, 26 Sept. 1653.

29-8-1653.

Dorothy King of Salem, widow. for £28 sells to
Salem. Thomas Johnson and Thomas Reignolds, a dwelling house with land adjoining lying between Timothy Laskin's and Robert Gray's lots, and late the dwelling house of John Swasy, 21 Oct., 1653.

29-8^{mo}.-1653.

Philip Cromwell of Salem, butcher, and Dorothy his wife, sell to John Porter, 260 acres between land of Daniel Ray and Richard Davenport, for £40, 22-8^{mo} 1653.

29 Oct, 1653.

Nathaniel Tyler of Lynn, husbandman, and wife
Lynn. Jane, sell to Philip Kirtland of Lynn, shoemaker, all their lands and houses in Lynn, 1 Oct., 1652.

29 Oct., 1653

Salem. John Bourne of Salem, sells to Henry Cook of Salem, butcher, his dwelling house and 21 acres of land, lying between Joseph Pope and John Burton's lands in Salem, 29, 8^{mo}. 1653.

31 Oct., 1653

Salem. John Blackleish, of Boston, merchant, sells for £3, to Robert Goodhall of Salem, 50 acres, lying between Mr. Higginson's and Mr. Alderman's lands in Salem, 31 Oct., 1653.

18 Nov., 1653.

Salem. Dorothy King of Salem, widow, for £7. 10., sells to Thomas Barnes of Salem, blacksmith, 6 acres of planting land in the South field Salem, between Daniel Bomball and Richard Hide, 8 Oct., 1653.

28 Nov., 1653.

[21] William Marston hath sold to Edmond
Salem. Marshall of Salem, weaver, 5 acres between said Marshall's and John Bachellor's lands near Bass River, for £4, 28 Nov., 1653.

29 Nov., 1653

Lynn. Samuel Bennett of Lynn [50], carpenter, sells, for £220, to Thomas Wheeler, of Lynn, miller, one water-mill in Lynn, with lands thereto belonging, and two dwelling houses, with two lots thereto pertaining, in all about 11 acres, and five acres marsh in Romly marsh, and the windmill standing in Salem, 1 Apr., 1653.

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ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PABODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

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114. Capt. ⁴Perez Richmond (³Eliz. Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Oct. 5, 1702. He died Sept. 15, 1770. He married, March 11, 1731 (Int. Feb. 20), by Rev. Richard Billings, Deborah Loring, his stepmother's daughter. She was daughter of Thomas and Deborah (Cushing) Loring, born in Duxbury, Mass., Dec. 9, 1710, and died April 14, 1782. Both are buried in the Old Cemetery in Little Compton.

"In memory of Capt Perez Richmond of Dartmouth, who died Sept. 15, A.D. 1770, in the 68th year of his age."

"In memory of Loring son of Capt Perez Richmond of Dartmouth, and Deborah his wife, who died Sept. 20, 1754, in ye 16th year of his age." "In memory of Deborah, relict of Capt Perez Richmond of Dartmouth. She departed this life April 14, 1782 in the 82nd year of her age.

"Fare well, vain world,
Since thou hast been to me
Dust and a shadow,
These I leave to thee."

Children, born in Dartmouth, Mass., now Westport :

630. ⁵Hannah Richmond, born Jan. 15, 1732.

631. Joshua Richmond, born July 1, 1734.

632. Edward Richmond, born Aug. 5, 1736.

633. Loring Richmond, born Dec. 27, 1738 ; died Sept. 20, 1754.

634. Perez Richmond, born Feb. 1, 1741.

635. Deborah Richmond, born June 30, 1742.

636. Elizabeth Richmond, born Nov. 25, 1745.

637. Benjamin Richmond, born Aug. 7, 1747.

638. Mary Richmond, born Aug. 27, 1749.

639. Lucia Richmond, born July 26, 1751; married George Brownell.

Capt. Perez Richmond's commission from King George II. was dated Sept. 1, 1742. He inherited the bulk of his father's property, and was prominent among the men of his time. His will, dated May 29, 1765, proved Sept. 24, 1770, Vol. 21, page 397, mentions wife Deborah, sons Joshua, Edward, Perez, and Benjamin, and daughters, Hannah, wife of David Jacobs; Elizabeth, wife of Joshua Jacobs; Deborah, Mary, and Lucy. His homestead was part in Little Compton and part in Westport.

115. Dr. ⁴Ichabod Richmond (³Eliz. Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 27, 1704; died in Bristol, Sept. 29, 1762. He married (published July 30, 1757) Abigail Ford, of Pembroke. He was a physician in Dartmouth, now Westport, in 1733, Bristol, 1737, and Little Compton, 1746. His will was made April 3, 1762, and speaks of wife Abigail and son Nathaniel. Benjamin Cushing, of Providence, R.I., married Mrs. Abigail Richmond, widow of Dr. Ichabod, Sept. 11, 1765.

Child (perhaps more died young):

640. Nathaniel Richmond, baptized, "son of Dr. Ichabod and Abigail Richmond, Aug. 30, 1761."

117. ⁴Ruth Richmond (³Eliz. Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 7, 1705-6. She died Nov. 15, 1776, in 71st year of her age. She married, Aug. 27, 1724, Ephraim Atwood, son of Joseph and Esther (Walker) Atwood. He died Aug. 14, 1776, in his 87th year.

Children, born in Dighton, Mass.:

641. Sylvester Atwood, born Sept. 4, 1725.

642. Ruth Atwood, born May 4, 1727.

643. Ephraim Atwood, born July 16, 1737.

118. ⁴Sarah Richmond (³Eliz. Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Oct. 31, 1711. She died Sept. 6, 1739. She married, Sept. 20, 1730 (another date Nov. 19, 1730), Rev. Peleg Heath, son of Wm. Heath, born July 26, 1700, in Roxbury. He married 2d, Aug. 26, 1740, Bethiah Peck. She died Oct. 28, 1740. He married 3d, Dec. 8, 1743, Jerusha Peck, by whom he had two children. He died Oct. 5, 1748. He was ordained in Barrington, Nov. 13, 1728. His pastorate continued till 1740.

Children, born in Barrington, R.I. :

644. ⁵Mary Heath, born Feb. 24, 1731-2.

645. Peleg Heath, born Aug. 27, 1734, d. y.

646. Peleg Heath, born March 3, 1735-6, d. y.

647. Nathaniel Heath, born Feb. 20, 1737-8, d. y.

119. ⁴Mary Richmond (³Eliz. Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born, Little Compton, Nov. 2, 1713. She died, North Yarmouth, Maine, Sept. 15, 1803. She (then of Tiverton) married, Feb. 17, 1737, Rev. Nicholas Loring, of North Yarmouth, son of John and Jane (Baker) Loring, born Sept. 1, 1711. He died July 21, 1763. He graduated Harvard College in 1732. Ordained in Yarmouth, 1736.

Children, born in North Yarmouth :

648. Richmond Loring, born March 29, 1738.

649. Bezaleel Loring, born April 13, 1739.

650. Levi Loring, born Dec. 3, 1740.

651. Lucretia Loring, born Jan. 3, 1742.

652. Mary Loring, born Sept. 22, 1744.

653. Elizabeth Loring, born Feb. 22, 1746.

654. Rachel Loring, born Nov. 2, 1748.

655. Thomas Loring, born June 6, 1751.

656. Nicholas Loring, born June 23, 1755.

657. Jeremiah Loring, born April 17, 1758.

120. ⁴Rogers Richmond (³Eliz. Rogers, ²Eliz. Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, May 25, 1716, and

died 1762. Married, May 17, 1739 (published April 21, 1739), Susannah (Viall) Lee, widow of George Lee, of Boston, to whom she was married, Oct. 24, 1734, and daughter of Samuel and Susanna (Flint) Viall, of Swansey. She was born Nov. 15, 1712, and died Feb. 6, 1762. His will, dated Jan. 11, 1762, proved March, 1762, mentions wife Susannah, and daughters Elizabeth, Mary, and Susannah. Inventory £6. 68s. 9d.

Children, born in Bristol :

- 658. ⁵ Viall Richmond, born March 8, 1741 ; baptized June 21, 1741, and died Feb. 13, 1742.
- 659. Susannah Richmond, born Feb. 14, 1740, and died June 23, 1740.
- 660. Samuel Viall Richmond, born Nov. 25, 1742 ; died at Albany on his return home from camp, 1760.
- 661. Elizabeth Richmond, born Jan. 26, 1743-4 ; died July 31, 1766.
- 662. Mary Richmond, born April 15, 1745.
- 663. Sarah Richmond, born June 17, 1746.

121. ⁴ Deborah Searle (³ Sarah Rogers, ² Eliz. Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden). Born in Dorchester, Nov. 17, 1695, and died May —, 1776, in Little Compton, R.I. Married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings, Feb. 20, 1717, to George Pearce, son of George and Alice (Hart) Pearce. He was born March 2, 1697, and died Feb. 22, 1764, in Little Compton.

Children, born in Little Compton :

- 664. ⁵ Alice Pearce, born Nov. 14, 1718.
- 665. Sarah Pearce, born Nov. 11, 1720 ; died July 20, 1721.
- 666. Jephthah Pearce, born Feb. 20, 1722.
- 667. Temperance Pearce, born Jan. 20, 1724.
- 668. Jeremiah Pearce, born Dec. 22, 1725 ; died Oct. 17, 1750.
- 669. Nathaniel Pearce, born Oct. 13, 1727.
- 670. Sarah Pearce, born Jan. 14, 1729.
- 671. Ruth Pearce, born Oct. 20, 1731.

672. Autrace Pearce, born Nov. 12, 1733.

673. Deborah Pearce, born Feb. 23, 1735.

674. Richard Pearce, born April 19, 1736.

123. ⁴ Sarah Searle (³ Sarah Rogers, ² Eliz. Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton April 2, 1700; died ——. Married, by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. June 12), June 25, 1725, Thomas Dring, son of Thomas and Mary (Butler) Dring. He was born April 23, 1704, and died Sept., 1787.

Children, born in Little Compton:

675. ⁵ Tabitha Dring, born Oct. 2, 1725.

676. Benjamin Dring, born Nov. 27, 1727.

677. Philip Dring, born —, 1729.

678. Ruth Dring, born —, 1732.

679. Nathaniel Dring, born —, 1734.

680. Abigail Dring, born —, 1736.

681. Mary Dring, born —, 1737.

682. Hannah Dring, born —, 1739.

124. ⁴ Nathaniel Searle (³ Sarah Rogers, ² Eliz. Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, April 26, 1703. He died Dec. 8, 1781. He was married by Rev. Richard Billings. Int. June 12. Married, June 18, 1725, to Elizabeth Kinnecut, of Swansey, Mass. She was born 1701. [Little Compton Records as printed in Vital Statistics have the name Nicholas Searle, which is an error.] They are both buried in the Old Cemetery — a double tomb with a handsome slab laid flat on concrete.

"Sacred to the memory of the Hon. Nathaniel Searle, who departed this life on the 8th day of Dec. 1781, in the 79th year of his age.

"In life he was Amiable and Discreet and with strict integrity he discharged the several Duties of a Chieftain, a Magistrate and a Friend.

"At Death his Steady Confidence and Hope in the Mercy of God our Savior, supported him with that manly Fortitude, which ever becomes a sincere and faithful servant of the Redeemer."

On the same stone :

"Here resteth the precious Remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Searle, the amiable consort of the Hon. Nathaniel Searle. Esq. She departed this life on the 11th day of Dec. 1781. A.D. in the 80th year of her age.

"In life her Universal Benevolence endeared her to all. Her Virtues as a wife, a Parent and Friend shone with becoming lustre. And her Hope, being steadfastly fixed on God, our Saviour, whose benign influence supported her through a Train of complicated Diseases, for many years, with that Patience and Richness of Soul becoming the Profession, and enabled her to meet Death disorted of all its Terrors."

Children, born in Little Compton :

683. ⁵ John Searle, born Aug. 24, 1726.

684. Constant Searle, born June 17, 1728 ; "killed at Wyoming."

685. Daniel Searle, born Sept. 8, 1730.

686. Betsey Searle, born June 3, 1732.

687. Sarah Searle, born Jan. 28, 1733.

688. Nathaniel Searle, born Dec. 25, 1735.

689. James Searle, born Oct. 5, 1737.

690. Ruth Searle, born Sept. 12, 1740 ; died Oct. 22, 1740.

691. Comfort Searle, born June 11, 1742.

125. ⁴ Isaac Soule (³ Mercy Southworth, ² Mary Pabodie, ¹ Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury. He was "awarded $4\frac{3}{4}$ acres of salt meadow at Common Island Duxbury." I know nothing more except that he was alive in 1751, but as there is no settlement of his estate, I think he must have moved out of the country. I think a (692?) Constant Soule, born about 1742, was his son.

126. ⁴ Cornelius Soule (³ Mercy Southworth, ² Mary Pabodie, ¹ Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1703. I quote from a Soule Genealogy, by Dr. Charles E. Banks, U.S.A., in "Old Times in North Yarmouth, Maine": "Cornelius Soule removed to North Yarmouth, Maine, about

1726, where he resided till his death. He soon became prominent in town affairs, being largely interested in land speculations. In the Registry of Deeds of York County, Maine, no less than thirty transfers occur in as many years, to which he was a party, and probably that does not represent all of his business. In the division of property rights, 1727, he drew Lot No. 48, which consisted of 38 acres of upland including the Islands, Middle Brother, Upper Brother, and Sow and Pigs. This lot gave him Pew No. 19 in the First Church, of which he was a member, having been received 9 May, 1731. He was the first assessor of the town in 1733, constable in 1734, and selectman many times. In 1735 he joined with Peter Weare, Stephen Larrabee, *et als.*, in opposing the church call to Rev. Ephraim Keith. When Rev. Nicholas Loring was ordained, he and Andrew Ring furnished the entertainment, for which the town reimbursed them to the extent of £20-17-9. In 1742 he acted as messenger for Governor Shirley, in transporting some official letters from Boston to the Eastern frontier. His journal of the trip is preserved in Mass. Archives, Vol. xxxviii., etc. He was the first Representative of the town to the General Court of Massachusetts. He was Captain of Co. F, 6th Mass. Volunteers, Colonel Sylvester Richmond, in the siege of Louisburg and the expedition against the French in 1745. About 1732 he married Mrs. Hannah Scales, widow of William Scales, who had been killed by the Indians some years previous. She was received into the church Aug. 8, 1731. She died 19 May, 1762. He died without issue, and was buried in the old graveyard at North Yarmouth. An old slate slab, moss-grown and worn, has this inscription: 'This perpetuates the memory of Capt. Cornelius Soule, who departed this life Oct. ye 20, 1755 in the 52nd. yr. of his age.'"

His will dated 3 Sept., 1755, on file in the York Registry, is here given below:

"In the name of God, Amen. The third day of Septem-

ber. Anno Domini. 1755. I, Cornelius Soule of North Yarmouth &c &c, I give, and bequeath to Susannah, my beloved wife, the improvement of all my estate, both real & personal during her natural life, and at her decease I give & bequeath ye same to her son Thomas Scales [whom I also, make, constitute, & appoint my sole executor of this my last will & testament] & to Cornelius Soule son of my brother Barnabas Soule, to be equally divided between them.

"At a Court of Probate, held at York, Jan. 15, 1756, the within written instrument was presented by Thomas Scales Soul, sole Executor therein named." (York County Registry of Probate, Book IX., p. 135.)

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MARRIAGE NOTICES, FOR THE WHOLE UNITED STATES, 1785-1794.

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Robins, Jonathan D. In this town, by Rev. Mr. Kirkland, Mr. J. D. R. to Miss Fanny Crafts, daughter to Thomas Crafts, Esq. (S. Dec. 13, 1794.)

Robinson, Miss, m. Dr. Holbrook.

Robinson, Almy, m. Robert L. Bowne.

Robinson, Betsy, m. Shubael Bell.

Robinson, Lieut. Edward. On Thursday evening, Lieut. E. R. to Miss Rachel How, daughter to Mr. John How. (S. Dec. 8, 1792.)

See Capt. James Robinson.

Robinson, Elizabeth, m. Thomas Alger.

Robinson, Capt. James. On Wednesday evening last, at Dorchester, Capt. J. R. to Miss Polly Withington, daughter to Mr. Samuel Withington; and on Thursday evening, Lieut. Edward Robinson to Miss Rachel How, daughter to Mr. John How. (S. Dec. 8, 1792.)

- Robinson, Jane, m. Thomas Hodges.
- Robinson, Mary, m. John Morton.
- Robinson, Mary, m. Henry Sadler.
- Robinson, William. W. R., Esq., merchant, of Philadelphia, to Miss Deliverance Doggett, of this town. (W. Feb. 15, 1786.)
- Roby, Captain Joseph. In this town, Capt. J. R. to Mrs. Elizabeth Henry. (S. Nov. 7, 1789.)
- Roby, Rev. Joseph. In this town, Rev. J. R. of Lynn, to Mrs. Zerniah Marston, of this town. (W. Aug. 8, 1792.)
- Rodman, Charity, m. Thomas Rotch.
- Rogers, Daniel, Jun. At Gloucester, Mr. D. R., Jun., to Miss Sally Saunders. (W. Sept. 26, 1792.)
- Rogers, Esther, m. John Rowe.
- Rogers, Capt. John. At Newbury-Port, Capt. J. R. to Miss Mary Stanwood, daughter to Capt. Joseph Stanwood. (W. Feb. 6, 1793.)
- Rogers, Lovey, m. James Burtwell.
- Rogers, Polly, m. Henry Stimpson.
- Rogers, Sally, m. Francis Mallet.
- Rogers, Thomas. Mr. T. R., merchant, to Miss Abigail Bridge. (W. Nov. 5, 1788.)
- Rogerson, Dr. Robert. Dr. R. R. to Miss Lucy Dearing. (W. March 30, 1785.)
- Rogerson, Thomas. At Providence, Mr. T. R., of Alexandria, merchant, to Miss Anstis Olney. (W. Aug. 22, 1792.)
- Rolf, Polly, m. Capt. Thomas Morris.
- Rolfe, Paul. In this town, Mr. P. R., A.B., of New-Concord, to Miss Elizabeth Kirkwood, of this town. (S. Oct. 13, 1792.)
- Root, James. [At Great Barrington] Mr. J. R. to Mrs. Abigail Pixley. (S. March 2, 1793.)
- Ropes, Betsey, m. Jonathan Hodges.
- Ropes, Jane, m. Capt. John T. Ropes.

- Ropes, Capt. John T. At Salem, Capt. J. T. R. to Miss Jane Ropes. (S. Nov. 21, 1789.)
- Ropes, Sally, m. Robert Bray.
- Rose, Mary, m. Alexander Baker.
- Rose, Polly, m. Caleb Francis.
- Rose, Sally, m. Thomas Brisco.
- Ross, Sarah, m. Edmund M. Blunt.
- Ross, Thomas. [At New York] Mr. T. R. to Miss Ann Lions. (S. May 19, 1792.)
- Rotch, Thomas. At Newport, Mr. T. R., merchant, of Nantucket, to Miss Charity Rodman, of that place. (W. May 19, 1790.)
- Roulstone, John. Mr. J. R. to Miss Dolly Smith, . . . [both] of this town. (S. Oct. 23, 1790.)
- Round, Capt. John. In this town, Capt. J. R. to Miss Hitty Clark. (W. June 14, 1786.)
- Rouse, Joseph. In this town, Mr. J. R. to Miss Mehitable Cabot, both of this town. (W. Aug. 14, 1793.)
- Rouselet, Nicholas Gysburtus. On Tuesday, the 27th ult., at Portsmouth, by the Rev. Joseph Buckminster, Mr. N. G. R., of this town, to Miss Elizabeth Catherine Mossatt, of Portsmouth. (W. April 4, 1787.)
- Row, Betsy, m. Fisher Gay.
- Rowe, John. At Gloucester, J. R., Esq. to Miss Esther Rogers, both of that place. (W. May 9, 1792.)
- Rowland, Capt. Jonathan. [At New York] Capt. J. R. to Miss Cornelia Warner. (S. May 19, 1792.)
- Royse, John. At New York, Mr. J. R. to Miss Lydia Bull, of Hartford. (S. Nov. 10, 1792.)
- Ruggles, Miss, m. Nathaniel Scott.
- Ruggles, Martha, m. Rev. John Fairfield.
- Ruggles, Nathaniel. By the Rev. Mr. Clark, Mr. N. R., of Roxbury, to Miss Sally Fellows, of this town. (W. Nov. 8, 1786.)
- Ruggles, Samuel. [In this town] Mr. S. R., merchant, to Miss Polly Blake. (S. Apr. 19, 1794.)

Rumrill, Thomas. Mr. T. R. to Miss Abigail Richardson.
(W. Nov. 27, 1793.)

At Roxbury implied.

Rumsey, Nancy, m. Samuel Hichborn.

Runey, John. At Charlestown, Mr. J. R. to Miss Polly
Turner. (S. July 1, 1786.)

Russell, Miss, m. Edward Cary, Jun.

Russell, Betsey, m. Capt. Stevens.

Russell, Capt. Edward. Capt. E. R., of Salem, to Miss
Sally McClure, of this town. (S. June 16, 1792.)

Russell, Elijah. At Concord, Mr. E. R., editor of the
"Mirroure," to Miss Polly Davis, of that town. (W. May
14, 1794.)

Russell, Maj. Ephraim. At Princeton, Maj. E. R., of
Stow, to Miss Eunice Merrick, of that place. (S. Feb.
18, 1792.)

Russell, John. At Philadelphia, Mr. J. R., of Boston,
printer, to Miss Eliza Milne, daughter of Mr. Edmund
Milne, of that city. (W. April 17, 1793.)

Russell, Mary, m. Isaac Winslow, Jun.

Russell, Mrs. Mary, m. William Doggett.

Russell, Seth. At Northampton, Mr. S. R. to Miss Polly
Ewerson. (W. Oct. 29, 1794.)

Russell, Thomas. At Plymouth, T. R., Esq., of this town,
to Miss Betsy Watson, daughter of George Watson, Esq.,
of that place. (W. Nov. 19, 1788.)

Rust, Susannah, m. Capt. Alexander Nichols.

Rutter, Ann, m. Isaac Burneston.

Sadler, Henry. In Savannah, Mr. H. S. to Miss Mary Rob-
inson. (S. Mar. 3, 1792.)

Safford, William. At Salem, Mr. W. S. to Miss Abigail
Swansey. (S. June 16, 1792.)

Salisbury, Wait, m. William Wentworth Fernald.

Salmon, John. By the Rev. Mr. Eliot, Mr. J. S. to Miss
Betsey Sestren. (W. Jan. 4, 1792.)

Salmon, Polly, m. Andrew Brimmer.

Salter, Jenny, m. Capt. Joseph Ingraham.
 Saltonstall, Rebecca, m. Peter Christopher.
 Sample, Ann, m. William Grant.
 Sanders, Miss, m. K. K. Van Rensselaar.
 Sands, Benjamin. [At New York] Mr. B. S., late of Boston,
 to Miss Peggy Michaels. (S. Nov. 10, 1792.)
 Sanford, Miss, m. James Dwight.
 Sanford, Bathsheba, m. Rev. Ethan Smith.
 Sanford, Clarissa, m. Rev. John Morse.
 Saphum, Mrs. Sally, m. David Stetson.
 Sargeant, John. In this town, Mr. J. S. to Miss Sally
 Larkin, both of this town. (W. May 19, 1790.)
 Sargent, Catharine, m. Theodore Jones.
 Sargent, Winthrop. In the western territory, W. S., Esq.,
 Secretary of that territory, to Miss Tupper, daughter to
 Gen. Tupper. (W. May 27, 1789.)
 Saunders, Daniel. At Salem, Mr. D. S. to Miss Sally Gill.
 (S. Oct. 25, 1794.)
 Saunders, Sally, m. Daniel Rogers, jun.
 Saunders, Sally, m. Thomas Augustus Vernon.
 Savage, Elizabeth, m. John Cooper.
 Savens, Abijah. At Newtown, Mr. A. S. to Miss Sukey
 Wenchester. (S. Apr. 28, 1792.)

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THE "Hammett Papers," of which three numbers were issued many years ago, have been resumed. Mr. Augustus Caldwell, of Elliot, Me., has issued the fourth number, and will continue the publication. Ipswich, Mass., was the starting-point of many Essex county families, and the "Hammett Papers" are invaluable for reference. It should be borne in mind, however, that Mr. Hammett made his collections many years ago, and his surmises are not always correct. Like Savage, he had to work with the materials then available.

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

(Continued from page 187.)

Day.	Mo.	
21.	May	Remember, of John and Sarah (Gale) Stone.
28.	"	Paul, of Paul and Mary (Batchelder) Thorndike.
2.	July	Samuel, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach) Herrick.
"	"	Eunice, of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sallows) Trask.
16.	"	Anna (Lucas) wife of Benjamin Dike, and their son Benjamin.
25.	"	Elizabeth (Bond), wife of Joseph Pride, and daughter Elizabeth.
"	"	Daniel, of Daniel and Elizabeth (Conant) Coburn.
6.	Aug.	Martha, of John and Martha Cleaves.
13.	"	Andrew, of Andrew and Hannah (Fisk) Dodge.
20.	"	Hannah, of John and Hannah (Woodberry) Ober.
"	"	Priscilla, of Matthew and Elizabeth (Hooper) Butman.
4.	Sept.	Josiah, of John, Jr. and Mary (Pride) Lovett.
24.	"	Luke, of Luke and Susanna Morgan.
"	"	Rebecca, of John and Hannah (widow of John Green) Frost.
1.	Oct.	Abigail, of Joseph, Jr. and Priscilla (Eaton) Dodge " who dy'd abt 6 daies after ye child was born."
5.	Nov.	William, of Moses and Sarah (Dodge) Gage.
"	"	Benjamin, of George and Jane (Stacy) Standley.
3.	Dec.	Daniel, of Edward and Sarah Bishop.
30.	"	Joshua, of Lot and Elizabeth (Pride) Conant.
"	"	Robert, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Joseph and Sarah (Hart) Balsh.

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7.	Jan.	Josiah, of Paul and Mary (Batchelder) Thorndike.
20.	"	Mary wife of Haffeld Coy, "abt 30 yrs old."
18.	Feb.	Mary, of Nehemiah and Susanna (Low) Wood.
18.	Mar.	Sarah, of Edmund and Sarah (Low) Grover.
25.	"	Ezekiel, of Peter and Abial Yarrington.

Day.	Mo.	
2.	Apr.	John, of John and Deborah (Conant) Derby.
"	"	Mary, of Stephen and Elizabeth (Trask) Herrick.
29.	"	Mary, of Abigail Bradford, "begotten in fornication."
13.	May	Eleazer, of Eleazer and Lydia (Groves) Giles.
"	"	Mehitable, of Moses and Mary Fluant.
30.	"	Robert, of Robert and Mary (Thorndike) Morgan.
"	"	Martha, of Benjamin and Mary (Johnson) Parnell.
17.	June	David, of Samuel, Jr. and Susanna (Knowlton) Corning.
24.	"	Peter, of Dea. Peter and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
8.	July	Hannah, of John and Sarah (Gaines) Creesy.
"	"	Anna, of Nathaniel and Hannah (Balsh) Wallis.
15.	"	Lois, of William and Joanna (Wheeler) Woodberry.
"	"	Abigail, of Samuel and Abiel Stone — of Manchester.
"	"	John and Mary, of Samuel and Mary (Norton) West.
22.	"	Brackenberry, of Benjamin and Susanna (La Grove) Patch.
"	"	Abigail, of Roger and Mary (Raymond) Conant.
"	"	Ruth, of Nehemiah and Ruth (Dixey) Hayward.
29.	"	Ebenezer, of Gabriel and Mercy Wood.
"	"	Experience, of William and Hannah (Woodberry) Dodge.
5.	Aug.	Hannah, of William and Mary (Woodberry) Conant. (Removed to Bridgewater.)
26.	"	Thomas, of Samuel and Eleanor (Cleaves) Balsh.
"	"	Priscilla, of Jabez and Rachel (Allen) Baker.
"	"	Abigail, of Nehemia and Lydia Stone.
2.	Sept.	Robert, of John and Mary (Daland) Roundy.
"	"	Mehitable, of Ebenezer and Hannah (Dodge) Woodberry.
"	"	Hannah, of James and Rebecca (Biles) Patch.
9.	"	Jonathan, of Jonathan and Mary (Trask) Baker.
16.	"	Samuel, of Hezekiah and Anna (Morgan) Ober.
"	"	Lois, of Henry and Susanna (Beedle) Herrick.
30.	"	Jerusha, of Samuel and Susanna Trask.
14.	Oct.	Hannah, of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Conant) Raymond.
21.	"	Edward and John, of Edward and Webber.
"	"	William, of William and Abigail (Gale) Hooper.

Day.	Mo.	
14.	Nov.	Joseph, of Joseph and Rebecca (Stone) Butman.
"	"	Sarah, of Edward and Deborah (Roundy) Trask.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Robert and Mary (Thistle) Sallows.
		Emma, of (Rev.) Thomas and Emma (widow of Andrew Woodberry, <i>née</i> Eliot) Blowers, "born ye Friday night before ab ^t Eleven clock."
9.	Dec.	Ebenezer, of Ebenezer and Lydia (Nowell) Dodge.
"	"	Prudence, of Samuel and Prudence (Dodge) Lovett.
16.	"	Hannah, of John and Hannah (Woodbury) Ober.

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3.	Jan.	Lydia, of George and Mary (Morrill) Tusk.
24.	Feb.	Peter, of Jonathan and Jerusha (Raymond) Dodge. (Second wife.)
"	"	John and Rebecca, of Rebecca (widow of John Groves, <i>née</i> Wallis).
3.	Mar.	Lydia, of Peter and Elizabeth (Mallet) Wooden.
17.	"	John Tuck, Jr. "being ab ^t two and three and thirty years old."
"	"	Eleanor, of Joseph, Jr. and Sarah (Hill) Morgan.
24.	"	Peter, of Joseph and Rebecca (Woodberry) Corning.
31.	"	Daniel, of Andrew and Sarah (2d wife?) Dodge.
7.	Apr.	James, of John and Joanna (Dodge) Thorndike.
14.	"	Hanna, of Peter and Hannah (Winter) Groves.
28.	"	Ann Wood "a young woman ab ^t 23 yrs of age." (Dau. of Israel and Anna (Woodbury) Wood.)
"	"	Elizabeth, of Lot and Elizabeth (Pride) Conant.
26.	May	Lydia, of Jonathan and Sarah (Woodberry) Raymond.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Jonathan and Abigail (Avery) Bishop.
23.	June	Ann, of Benjamin and Ann (Lucas) Dike.
"	"	Joseph, of Thomas and Abigail (Wallis) Sallows.
"	"	John, of John and Deborah Baker.
21.	July	David, of Nathaniel and Mary (Balsh) Stone.
"	"	Mary, of Phillip and Deborah (Mansfield) White.
"	"	Mary, of Humphrey and Elizabeth (Smith) Horrell.
11.	Aug.	Jonathan, of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Dodge) Herrick.

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NOTES.

SUFFOLK DEEDS, Vol. IX. The publication of this volume covers the period from 1674 to 1676. This volume was printed under the supervision of Mr. Charles A. Drew.

WE welcome the appearance of the "New Brunswick Magazine," published by W. K. Reynolds, at St. John. Also "American Book Lore," published at Milwaukee by Henry E. Legler. The September issue contains an account of the library of C. M. L. Burton, of Detroit.

HON. Charles J. McIntire has issued under separate cover sketches of Hon. John Read (1680-1749) and Chief-Justice (of Nova Scotia) Charles Morris (1711-1781) from both of whom he descends.

THE Beverly Historical Society this summer presented two statues to the minster at Beverley, England, which are to be placed on the west front.

THE "Genealogical Advertiser," which has reached its third issue, appeals strongly to Old Colony people. Mrs. Greenlaw is a most efficient genealogist as well as editor. We strongly recommend this publication to our readers.

GENEALOGY OF THE DODGE FAMILY OF ESSEX COUNTY, MASS., by Joseph T. Dodge, of Madison, Wis. Second Part. The present volume, paged continuously with the first, adds over 200 pages of closely printed information to the former work. American Dodges descend chiefly from either William or Richard Dodge, of Beverly. Some descend from Tristram Dodge, who settled on Block Island. In the present volume will be found a list of Dodges serving in the Revolution and in certain colonial wars, lists which will prove of great value to descendants of those persons. Further information is supplied regarding the use of coat armor by the English families of the name, and while as yet the American family cannot prove their right to use coat armor,

it is not unlikely that that right exists and that patient research might obtain the needed proof.

I WISH some information about Ann Wisdom, the third white child that was born in the English colony at Jamestown about 1610. Also information in regard to the Pilcher family, of Virginia; what was the given name of that Pilcher who married Pheobe Fielding in Virginia, or North Carolina, about 1750?

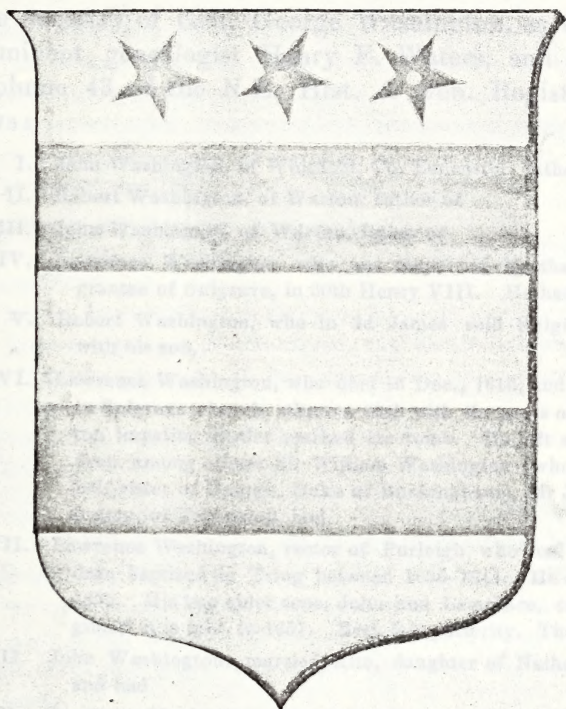
Also about Lucas Powell, who was born at Williamsburg, Virginia, about 1750, and of his wife Elizabeth Edwards, daughter of John Edwards, who leased thirty acres of land in New York city, where Trinity Church now stands, about the year 1760 or '70, for 99 years. J. S. P.

GENEALOGICAL CHART OF A MARSTON FAMILY, compiled by Enoch Q. Marston, Centre Sandwich, N.H., 1898. Dr. Quimby shows eight generations of the ancestors of his grandfather Marston, including about thirty families prominent in early times in Newbury and along the Hampshire border. These family ancestral charts are excellent features.

A VALUABLE book which has lately appeared is the *Orderly Book* of Col. Ichabod Norton, for 1776.

MORTALITY RECORD OF THE TOWN OF WOODBURY (CONN.), from 1672 to the present day. Compiled and published by Leon M. Barnes, Woodbury, Conn., 1898. This is a valuable contribution to genealogical literature. Mr. Barnes has shown an appreciation of the wants of genealogists, as well as a desire to honor his town's dead and to preserve a part of her records. The record and index comprise 213 pages.

In early times the value of the Massachusetts or New England currency was in the proportion, £1 sterling = £1.6.8. Lawful Money of Massachusetts. The New Brunswick dollar, or 5 shillings, was equivalent to 6 shillings L.M. It is a fact worth recording that Massachusetts currency continued to be used in all ordinary business transactions on the St. John river up to the time of the arrival of the Loyalists in 1783. — *New Brunswick Magazine*.



WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON OF NORTHAMPTON, ENGLAND, AND VIRGINIA.

Arms. — *Argent, two bars and in chief three mullets gules.*

The ancestry of Gen. George Washington, as traced by the eminent genealogist Henry F. Waters, and published in Volume 43 of the N.E. Hist. & Gen. Register, is as follows :

- I. John Washington, of Whitfield, Co. Lancaster, father of
- II. Robert Washington, of Warton, father of
- III. John Washington, of Warton, father of
- IV. Lawrence Washington, who was mayor of Northampton and grantee of Sulgrave, in 30th Henry VIII. He had
- V. Robert Washington, who in 3d James sold Sulgrave jointly with his son,
- VI. Lawrence Washington, who died 13 Dec., 1616, and was buried in Sulgrave church, where a slab with the arms of Washington impaling Butler marked his tomb. He left several children, among others Sir William Washington [who married a half-sister of George, Duke of Buckingham], Sir John Washington, of Thrapston, and
- VII. Lawrence Washington, rector of Purleigh, who had three children baptized in Tring between 1635-1641. He died before 1655. His two elder sons, John and Lawrence, came to Virginia,* it is said, in 1637. Both left posterity. The elder son,
- VIII. John Washington, married Ann, daughter of Nathaniel Pope, and had
- IX. Lawrence Washington, who died 1697. He left a son,
- X. Augustine Washington, who died 12 Apr., 1743, *æt.* 49, and who by wife Mary Ball was father of
- XI. Gen. George Washington, born 11 Feb., 1732, died without issue, 14 Dec., 1799.

* Both emigrants have many descendants surviving. Besides the two emigrants who belonged to this armorial family, there were Robert and Edward Washington named in Court records, 1660 and 1675, Richard and Arthur Washington at a later date. The name was not uncommon in England, and occurred in several counties.

A RHYMED BIOGRAPHY OF MARTHA WASHINGTON.

BY MARY VIRGINIA AGNEW.

Virginia, dear, inspirit thought, while I essay to write
The fair biography of one whose charms, indeed, invite
A facile pen, and eloquence, inspired to eulogize
Virtues, whose truth, to blur or blot, the hand of time defies !
But ere I sing the praise of her who reigned a queen, supreme —
Not by hereditary laws, but by a land's esteem, —
I fain would pen a tribute to Virginia, muse divine,
Whose forests, mountains, glades, and streams alluring scenes
combine ;
And where, in seventeen-thirty-two, far from a city's din,
Was born the subject of this rhyme, my gentle heroine,
Who, 'mid the grandeur of the hills which shape the famed Blue
Ridge,
Was reared an offspring of the house whose sire was John Dan-
dridge.

Virginia's seasons throw a spell of rare enchantment o'er
Spirits enthralled to feel the charm of nature's faery lore.
When wild birds note the balmy spring with raptured harmonies,
And sweetest odors lightly float upon each truant breeze,
Virginia's world breaks into bloom, and melody, and light,
Which thrill the heart, and mind, and soul, and trustful hopes
incite.

Then warm winds toss the swathed buds until their leaves unfurl,
And with their gentle breathing blow the ferns right out of curl :
While fields grow green, starred with blue flowers, whereon mist-
spangles lie,

And ev'ry dewdrop looks as tho' it shrined a bit of sky.
Then orchard trees, aflush with bloom, knee-deep in grasses
stand —

And, lightly stirred by breezes which soft vernal airs command,

Their wind-swung boughs the earth and sky with swirling petals
strew,
Which look like shreds of sunset clouds blown 'thwart the ether's
blue.

In bonny June, when roses, bright, illume the landscape gay,
And zephyrs, with their downy wings, brush ev'ry cloud away
From Heaven's azure, — then Virginia voices ecstacy,
And fills the heart, attuned to joy, with ravished melody.

But when is heard in ripened fields the crow's hoarse, wrangling
caw,
And purpled berries darkly gleam upon the thorny haw,
And when bright leaves, encolored-red, wind-snatched from off the
trees,
Flit thro' the air like butterflies, chased by the autumn breeze,
Virginia animates the soul with fluttering desires,
Till, flinging off inertia's mask, it, winged with might, aspires
To realms of effort. Ev'ry leaf that rustles 'neath one's tread
Then signatures, with fervid chords, that sluggishness is dead,
When, roused to vast endeavor, erst inactive in the soul,
One quaffs large draughts of vigored thought from life's energetic
bowl.

When winter, with its mist of snow, o'erveils the sleeping earth,
And mantles, with pure graciousness, the fulvid landscape's dearth,
Virginia's forests show such charm as to the Yule-tide clings,
And thro' their vasty solitudes a windy spirit sings.
Tall cedars, pictured Christmas-trees, jewelled with berries blue,
Look just as tho' dear Santa Claus there all his bushes grew;
And holly gleams, like coals of fire, from out the wooded gloom,
Until the mind, with fancies fed, would certainly assume
That autumn had on winter's hearth left some glowing embers
To illume the memory of passed-away Septembers.
Thus, in Virginia, winter seems a curtain but half-drawn,
Thro' which one glimpses vistas of the lovely springtime's dawn,
Which, clad in leaves of living green and bathed in sunlight, seems
But waiting to entrance the soul with sweetest vernal dreams.

Of all Virginia's usages, from Merry England brought,
The Christmas-tide, in olden days, was with most pleasure fraught,

And, tho' it came but once a year, it lasted thro' a week,
 And did for all, both high and low, a joyous time bespeak.
 Then notes of busy preparation ev'rywhere were heard —
 And long before the mirthful day a blithe commotion stirred
 In hall and kitchen. Fallow-fields and rime-hung forests rang
 With voice of hunter, bark of dog, and the incessant bang
 Of rifles, when the shrivelled leaves, frost-strung, and brown, and
 sere,

Cried out beneath the startled tread of the affrighted deer;
 But when from windows lights gleamed out upon a snowbound
 world,

And flashed upon the little brooks which erstwhile gently purred
 Adown their fern-fringed pebbled ways, the huntsmen home
 returned

To spread their trophies out before great fires that brightly burned,
 Whence odors from most sav'ry viands, with sylvan perfumes blent,
 Up chimney-places, broad and wide, by whiffs of smoke were sent.
 The woods resounded with axe-strokes, as hickories were hewn,
 Which fell, with musical accord, on sward with crisp leaves strewn,
 And then were sawed into great logs to feed the Yule-tide fire,
 Whose festive light and glow did much the season's joy inspire.
 From mighty oaks the rarely-fabled, mystic mistletoe,
 Which doth upon the mossy limbs of woodland monarchs grow.
 (Like crowns impearled with priceless gems, to diadem old trees,
 Whose heads have borne bleak winter's blast, and summer's frolic
 breeze),

Was torn away in charming tufts, and, with the holly red,
 Was wreathed in festoons ev'rywhere, a radiance to shed
 O'er Christmas joy, while on the hearth gay, spurning fagots blazed,
 Whose chymic heat from scented logs delightful incense raised.
 High mantel-shelves were with crow's-foot and trailing ivy hung,
 And then, on Christmas eve, were with a line of stockings strung.
 Fireplaces were in olden times sacred to Kris Kringle —

And just at dawn, on Christmas morn, when was heard the jingle
 Of merry sleigh-bells, all the flames would smoulder on the hearth.
 When down the chimney Kris Kringle would rush with noisy mirth.
 Then all dear ones, both young and old, from near and from afar,
 Would speed them home, led thitherward by that same brilliant
 star

Which o'er the Babe of Bethlehem with adoration shone,
 And glorified the place where lay the Christ come to atone
 For human sin. On Christmas morning all to church would go
 To praise the great Creator from whose hand all blessings flow,
 And who, in mercy to mankind, did His vast works adorn
 By sending us His only son to grace our Christmas morn.

The Christmas board, weighed down with viands sweet and
 savory,
 Then smoked with venison, roast beef, and chestnut-stuffed
 turkey —

While, in remembrance of Old England's rare baronial days,
 A wild boar's head the table crowned, enwreathed with shining
 bays;

Mince-pies, plum-pudding, apples, nuts, egg-nog, and apple-toddy
 Were in abundance, and, in truth, were liked by ev'rybody.
 Throughout the week, till the New Year, the neighbors all did try
 In royal feastings, night and day, each other to outvie.
 At evening then, when firelight glowed, and crackled out sweet
 tunes, —

Which sounded like the forest wind when it o'er dead leaves
 croons, —

The darkies would their fiddles bring, and shouting: "Partners
 all!"

Would set the merry festal throng a-dancing thro' the hall.
 Christmas, then, was worthy of the day it celebrated —
 A day of joy, and peace, and love, with thanksgiving fêted!

Provincial life in early days, and justly, it appears,
 Was brilliant with its high-born dames and courtly cavaliers —
 Whose modes and manners fashioned were *après les formes an-
 glaises*,

Founded, indeed, upon a most aristocratic base.
 Then finest dames, when not immersed in sweet domestic cares,
 Would ride to balls and tea-drinkings in ornate sedan-chairs,
 Where gay esquires, in scarlet coats, cocked hats, and swell knee-
 breeches,

Would woo fair maidens with such arts as ev'ry age bewitches.
 Then on Time's wheel, thro' golden hours, bright visions were
 enwrought
 By stately dames, and spun out long, with retrospection fraught;

For, idly as a leaf which floats adown some placid stream,
 A fancy, in those leisured times, was twirled into a dream.
 Ah, those were the Dominion's witching manorial days,
 When wealthy planters still adhered to England's lordly ways,
 Made simple with the freedom of a quiet country life,
 With all the charm of rural ways and courtesies made rife!
 Existence in Virginia, then, was with pleasure replete —
 And agriculture was pursued with recompense complete.

In those remote palmary times, Virginia's Golden Age, —
 Whose gracious mode of happiness inspires tradition's page, —
 Each man's estate an empire was, where master reigned supreme,
 Honored by humble servitude and by respect's esteem.
 Estates were large, by entail held in long continuance, —
 Which love of home and lands, methinks, doth mightily enhance, —
 And, owned by sons of England's haughty, proud nobility,
 Great style of living was maintained, and hospitality.
 E'en college boys were catalogued, in those vice-regal days,
 With no regard unto their worth, or manly, studious ways,
 But with respect unto the rank of their sires in the land,
 And to the mode of life which their vast fortunes could command.

The architecture in those days was planned to last awhile —
 Massive and square, designed correctly in the English style.
 Staircases broad, and carven out of rich mahogany,
 Or, darkly-gleaming, finely-worked from polished ebony,
 Would wind their spiralled elegance from stately halls where mirth
 Was brightened by the ruddy flares ascending from the hearth
 Of fireplaces of most delightful, genial amplitude,
 Where huge pine knots, ablaze with light, sputtered a gay prelude
 To fancies lit by garish flames, fantastically wrought,
 Which kindled hopes, and were with brightest aspirations fraught.
 Then roofs, sustained by timbers of red cedar, oft rough-hewn,
 Would scent the rooms and corridors like to some wild bestrewn
 With odorous pine-needles — as tho' nature's rapt perfumes,
 Vialled by sprightly breezes, were decanted in the rooms.

When Washington, a mere stripling, did mimic battles fight,
 And, in his mind's dreadful warfare, put enemies to flight,
 Martha Dandridge, a little girl, was o'er her samplers bent;
 And thus absorbed, never, I trow, into the future sent

Such a long thought as that some day, provincial peace all fled,
 She would by her land's future sire most lovingly be wed.
 To stately ways and fashions born, and reared in affluence,
 Her tastes, innately bred, were fine, but fine without pretence;
 And she grew up to be a dame of very high degree —
 And, therefore, it was only meet that fate should her decree
 To be the bride of old Virginia's most intrepid son:
 The chivalrous and valorous chieftain, George Washington.

Tho' down Virginia's closely-written, storied page I pore,
 I find fair Martha's dawning years with obscurity blurred o'er.
 Married to Daniel Parke Custis when only seventeen,
 Her childhood tho' was very brief, but blissful was I ween;
 And fancy oft shows her to me, in youth's sweet happy day, —
 When hours are tuned to mirthfulness, and sing a roundelay, —
 At twilight's brief, bewitching time, when inspirations play,
 And prophesy until they seem to voice a future day —
 And then she's pictured to my sight in her ancestral hall,
 As dancing with the frolic flames a-flicker on the wall;
 And as they darted here and there old portraits to illumine,
 Or ran to play with shadows in the corners of the room,
 Perchance her future spoke to her from out prophetic flame,
 And told what fate would write for her on life's fair scroll of fame;
 For oftentimes our dreams, methinks, are what for us may be
 Designed by kindly Providence to be our destiny —
 And if such dreams, with purpose winged, soar t'ward some fine
 ideal,
 The years will their true meaning with desires attained reveal.

During the slowly-waged campaign against old Fort Duquesne, —
 Which British powers from French dominion hoped so much to
 gain, —

George Washington, as aide-de-camp, gathered his scattered force
 At Winchester, and as the troops lacked discipline, of course,
 He sought to train them diligently for the coming war,
 That lack of military science might not them debar
 From victory. His army needed ev'ry requisite,
 And wanting arms, field-equipage, and tents, were quite unfit
 To march upon the enemy, so Washington was sent
 To Williamsburg's Assembly, there his wishes to present.

With all his usual promptitude he set off on horseback —
 But, for love-destined Washington, his promptitude, alack !
 Was hazarded for the first time, for, pierced by Cupid's dart,
 The only time in history he played the laggard's part.
 That journey was of consequence, as I shall now relate,
 And sealed for brave George Washington an enviable fate.
 In crossing the Pamunkey, at the ferry, he fell in
 With Mr. Chamberlayne, who did love's artifice begin,
 By, like a typical Virginian, courteous and kind,
 Inviting valiant Washington, with insistence refined,
 To be his guest at dinner, which our hero, much enthused
 With his commission's character, at first to do refused ;
 But Cupid hath a power with him no virtue can resist —
 Thus Washington, when urged again, consented to assist
 At the eventful dinner where kind Fortune did preside,
 And introduced him to his *in futuro* lovely bride.

One Mistress Martha Custis was a guest at Chamberlayne's —
 And so was wily Cupid with his light, florescent chains !
 This Mistress Martha Custis was a widow rich and young,
 Endowed with rarest beauty, which tradition oft hath sung.
 She had two little children — these a pretty girl and boy ;
 And history assures us did abundant means enjoy.
Petite in form, and shapely, she possessed a lovely face,
 Which captivating manners with rare eloquence did grace.
 Her hair was a rich brown in hue ; dark hazel were her eyes —
 Which piquancy and tenderness did finely poetize.
 While Washington wild lands surveyed, or fought with savages,
 Or helped to legislate against war's dreadful ravages,
 As wife and mother, widow, too, with purposes aye leal,
 Fair Mistress Custis did best traits of womanhood reveal.

George Washington, the hero, with his well-affirmed reserve,
 Was cas'ly won by female charms, as I shall now observe.
 Beauty and wit, and love's assaults, 'mid martial cares will sway
 The burdened heart, and lighten it like sunshine a dark day ;
 And so the heart of Washington, o'erwhelmed with anxious fears,
 Ensnarled itself in Cupid's toils, enraptured, it appears.
 The dinner hastened to its close, to one it seemed to dart,
 Since at its close he must, perforce, from Mistress Custis part.

The aide-de-camp, blindfold by fate, lost sight for once of duty,

And showed outright that war's demands sometimes succumb to beauty.

Outside the door his waiting horse did paw and jerk the rein—

His military servant, Bishop, called for him in vain.

For such delay his heart, no doubt, smartly reprimanded—

None the less, until the morn, his horse was countermanded.

In New Kent County, and not far from Williamsburg, we're told,

The White House, home of Mistress Custis, did its pile unfold ;

And tho' the opportunities permitted to our chief

For courting Martha Custis were so lamentably brief,

While faithful to the duties which retained him at his post,

He embraced ev'ry occasion, and that to the utmost,

For visiting the lady who had won his love at sight—

Whom he wooed so devotedly, and with such manly might,

That ere they separated, he to go to Fort Duquesne,

As lovers true they pledged their faith till they should meet again.

And then, tho' hostile Indians swarmed round like busy bees,

And Washington, to run them counter, sent out Cherokees,

And tho' he did intrepidly the Frenchman's power invade,

His love for Martha Custis did his ev'ry thought pervade ;

And armed with tenderness for her he smiled at war's turmoil—

Sweet mutual love and confidence repaid him for all toil.

Once Fort Duquesne made subject, and French warfare suspended,—

'Gainst whose might the colonists for British rights contended,—

George Washington to Mistress Custis joyfully returned,

And found that in her heart for him love's light divinely burned.

At the White House, and in the year seventeen-fifty-nine,

When fleecy snows of January fell down thick and fine,

George Washington and Martha Custis were together wed,

And with festivities were on life's rapid journey sped.

The marriage was a merry one, in old Virginia's style,—

Where social pleasures did the hearts of wedding-guests beguile ;

And ev'ry servant on the place did of the joy partake—

And each received a silver coin, and piece of wedding-cake.

The bride was gowned in rich white silk — the groom wore uniform,
 And after a fine supper they together did perform
 The stately-stepping minuet, to orchestra ideal,
 Composed of negro minstrels, who discharged their part with zeal.
 The musicians, with frenzied bow, and chime of toe and heel,
 Then played cotillons for the guests, and the Virginia reel;
 And while their bodies were convolved with tuneful ecstasies,
 And moved in furied rhythm with their jingling melodies,
 Phrenatic waves of music rolled from rafter unto rafter,
 And broke in echoes on the ear like concord mad with laughter;
 While from each bow winged notes appeared to circle to the ceiling,
 Sweet melody personified, — pure harmony revealing.
 Until the morn the darkies played for marriage-guests to dance,
 And with their own enjoyment did their music's spell enchain.

At the White House the wedded pair remained until the spring;
 But when the merry forest birds again were on the wing,
 And bluebirds trilled, exultantly, their wild, ecstatic notes,
 And pretty robins sang away as tho' to burst their throats,
 Amid a chorus of rapt songs, the music of the grove,
 The lovers true, thro' sylvan aisles, to old Mount Vernon drove —
 And there began a blissful life of love and tenderness,
 Which God with much well-being and with righteous joy did bless.

Now Martha Washington, endowed with wise, well-bred reserve,
 Could her instinctive dignity with kindness preserve —
 'Twas, therefore, with benevolence, tinged with severity,
 That she ruled husband, children, friends, and home so perfectly.
 For many years, at Mount Vernon, she lived in handsome style,
 And did its lovely solitude with visitors beguile.
 To evidence the lavishness which at such times prevailed,
 I'll chronicle a "tale of woe" by her dear lord detailed:
 When once Mount Vernon was besieged with visitors galore
 Our chief, in a pacific way, did expenses deplore;
 "For who would think," he naively writes, confiding in a friend,
 "That with one hundred and one cows, with pasture without end,
 I must, perforce, buy butter for my guests' and family's use!"
 Therefore I argue many did her graciousness abuse.
 A chariot, and horses, four, she drove where'er she went —
 Which, with the servants' liveries, were 'way from England sent.

Sweet Lady Washington, as she by courtesy was called,
 With kindly words and benign ways the hearts of all enthralled.
 Her charities were numberless, wisely administered,
 And she a quiet rural life to gayeties preferred.
 Society of those fine days frequently protested
 That Martha Washington was with character invested.
 She was a noted housewife, a consummate hostess, too,
 And often while she entertained, her busy fingers flew,
 As, armed with knitting-needles, she did dainty meshes thread,
 Or with a bit of handiwork moments with fleetness sped —
 And whether she were knitting, or were sewing on a seam,
 Bright wit and fancy scintillated with her needle's gleam.
 She did ornate embroideries, or spun thro' happy hours,
 And cultivated, with delight, the dear, old-fashioned flowers.

She had a cat whose history, times unnumbered written,
 Hath with her vast kind-heartedness feline lovers smitten.
 For fear her cat would in despair its precious life consume,
 Because it could not at all times gain entrance to her room,
 She had a hole cut in her door, just large enough at that,
 To give accession, fond and free, to her belovèd cat.

Now George and Martha Washington devout church-people
 were,

As their contemporaries do, with great concord, aver.
 Tho' strict Episcopalians, they had no narrow views,
 And did their chosen creed with love for other creeds transfuse.
 At Christ Church and at Pohick Church they communicated,
 And were with awe for God's commands deeply penetrated.
 They graced the Christian character with precept and with act —
 And trained the Custis children, by a mutual compact,
 In Bible and Church History, and with them oft did pray,
 Instructing them in catechism in the olden way ;
 For Washington a father was, in truth, in very deed,
 To John and Patsey Custis — his dear wife and he agreed
 In rearing them to be a blessing in the daily life,
 And this they did most lovingly, without unseemly strife.

The old Potomac river then boasted aquatic state,
 When barges, manned with servitors from each lordly estate,
 Would carry dames and cavaliers, and lords and ladies too,
 To tea-drinkings along the shores, to dinners not a few ;

And often Mistress Washington, in her famed coach-and-four,
 With postilions in livery outriding her before,
 Would journey to Annapolis, or to Richmond, we're told,
 Where the distinguished gentry did fine balls and parties hold.

When fifteen years of such a life had all too swiftly flown
 The seeds of discord and of strife were by Great Britain sown;
 For British interference growled a menacing prelude,
 Which filled the hearts of provincials with dread incertitude.
 From mere commercial selfishness—for the land's vexation—
 England levied on all things most unjust taxation,
 Which 'mongst the colonists aimed most at the great merchant
 class,

And brought the navigation, trade, and sugar act to pass,
 Which hurried on the bloody war which gave this country birth,
 And showed Great Britain what our sires thought independence
 worth!

The quiet of Mount Vernon was with rudeness broken through
 When British powers, indignant, made a horrible ado
 Because the outraged colonists most nobly did agree
 That, since it was so sorely taxed, they'd import no more tea,
 And covenanted, with determined unanimity,
 At Boston Town, in December, in seventeen-seventy-three,
 That they would throw their whole cargo of tributable tea,
 Without regard to England's ire, directly in the sea;
 And on this famous tea-party at Boston did depend
 The League which did with English powers all business suspend.

Virginia, first of all the States to put its armor on,
 Now, as a man, with zeal commenced a warlike mien to don;
 And in the blithesome vernal year, in seventeen-seventy-five,
 When forests with the trill of birds were joyously alive,
 And balmy airs and tender showers had recreated spring,
 And ev'rything did of the year's bright resurrection sing,
 George Washington to home and family bade a long adieu,
 And to the war, sped on by love, with martial courage flew.

A man's a patriot when he, for love of his dear land,
 Renounces home and family, injustice to withstand,
 And for his country's lawful cause doth manfully defy
 A coward host which dares its righteous freedom to deny!

But are not women patriots when they, by home-ties thrall'd,
 Are not, impassioned loyalists, by base-born fears appall'd,
 But, when war summons loved ones to combat tyrannic might,
 Remain at home, brave-heartedly, their own battles to fight —
 Those conflicts with forebodings, with long, dismal hours which
 creep

Thro' burdened days, and awful nights, when they scarce dare to
 weep, —

But with necessity, aye stern, subdue the heart's wild care,
 And gather strength from out the very grimness of despair?
 On bended knees they importune that God will put to flight
 Despotic foes who thus menace their country and their right —
 E'en tho' it be that their dear ones, with armor ever bright,
 Are destined never to return from freedom's splendid fight.

And Martha Washington, indeed, a patriot I'd call
 In that she feared not loneliness, which weakness doth appall,
 But, shielded by her confidence in God's unerring truth,
 Was sure that He would save His own from violence and ruth.

For liberty she braved herself to bear a threatened life —
 And thereby proved her sacred right to be a soldier's wife.
 She realized that home without George Washington was drear —
 Of war, and war's calamities, she felt no craven fear.

Tho' often warned of hostile threats to lay Mount Vernon waste,
 And cautioned, for her safety's sake, to leave her home with haste,
 She willed to stay, with faithful slaves, on her plantation lone,
 Where she dispensed large charities, and, with no outward moan,
 Prayed fervently to the All-Father for the war's surcease,
 Which promised independence, with a nobly-purchased peace.

Indubitably she possessed a courage unsurpassed,
 For when the whole Potomac was by vengeful acts harassed,
 And English ships marked out Mount Vernon for their worst
 menace,

Of fear for her dear home, or self, she evidenced no trace;
 And when the neighborhood desired to arm in her defence,
 Considering the rumored danger without consequence,
 She did, with gratitude sincere, refuse their proffered aid,
 And with God-vouchsafed fortitude right at Mount Vernon stayed,
 Until, in fine, the war prolonged, and winter coming on,
 She joyously prepared to join her hero, Washington.

The wish to see him once again beyond all bounds then grew,
 And, swiftly as her coach-and-four could speed, she to him flew.
 The fame of Washington was such that her advance was slow,
 For guards of honor followed her wherever she did go;
 And at each halting-place she was detained by courtesies
 Extended by her countrymen who wished their chief to please.
 Postilions, in fine liveries of scarlet and pure white,
 In front of her gay coach-and-four afforded a rare sight—
 And after a long progress thro' the province she arrived
 At Cambridge, where the pleasantness of camp-life she revived.
 Her presence at headquarters made its life grow brighter far,
 For 'mid its gloom her hope and courage shone out like a star!
 She entertained the officers in an old-fashioned way,
 Which ever did kindness of heart and refinement display.
 Her dinners grew so popular that rivalry ensued
 Regarding which of all her friends each function should include.
 Such dinners were of simple sort, made fine with elegance,
 Presided o'er with tact which doth all form with grace enhance.
 First came a course of vegetables, served, of course, with meat—
 Then pastry of some kind or other, or a plain sweetmeat,
 Topped off with hick'ry nuts and apples, olden-time dessert,
 With social chat and reminiscence pleasantly begirt;
 And after dinner Mistress Washington herself would serve
 Coffee, the beverage which doth a cheerful mood conserve.
 The dinner over, and without the least bit of display,
 The hostess made her knitting-needles musically play
 The old, sweet obligato to social conversation—
 A pleasant, clinking melody for light dissertation.
 Mistress Washington in camp, and warfare then suspended,
 Regimental gardens were, with wisdom, recommended.
 With Martha Washington the idea met with warmest praise—
 And, setting the example, she at once began to raise
 On one side of her residence all flowers which then were grown—
 And opposite she had the ground for vegetables sown;
 Then, gowned in brocade petticoat and panniers stiff and wide,
 She did with enthused energy her leisure time divide
 Between her flowers and garden-crop, tho' I would fain opine
 That t'ward the spot where posies grew her heart did most
 incline.

When the war with British powers was virtually ended,
 And Washington, at Valley Forge, had active work suspended,
 The winter ruled both earth and sky with fierce inclemency,
 And naked hunger stalked abroad with abject misery,
 Fair Mistress Martha Washington to headquarters repaired,
 And all her husband's discomforts with noble courage shared;
 And it was during her sojourn that time at Valley Forge
 That to a friend she did upon her trials there enlarge.
 "The General's apartments here are very small," she writes,
 "And yet to dinners and to teas he graciously invites
 His officers and friends, although, to either sup or dine,
 He must his invitations to a chosen few confine."
 At Valley Forge her time was passed in knitting socks, a store,
 In visiting among the sick, and doing for the poor
 Whate'er their needs demanded, — for most pitiful was she
 Toward the wretched soldiery in their adversity.
 The soldiers' armament exchanged for enforced idleness,
 Their sufferings evoked in her compassionated tenderness.
 While Washington was importuning Congress to furlough
 The waiting army, which, when paid, homeward would gladly go,
 Like incarnated charity, clothed in humility,
 His wife relieved its sore distress with kindly sympathy.
 'Tis easier by far to fight than with stacked arms to wait,
 And destitution in an army's rank to contemplate!
 The Continental forces then were in a fearful state —
 And Mistress Martha Washington, historians relate,
 Shared in her husband's wretchedness, and his solicitude
 Because the army was in need of money, clothes, and food.
 Often, no doubt, from her dear eyes flowed tides of sympathy —
 For how could she all-tearless view brave-hearted misery?
 While Washington combated, the land's fortunes still at stake,
 He risked his life most willingly for his loved country's sake;
 But pitiful, he grew unnerved by such distress menaced
 Against an army whose condition woefully disgraced
 A Congress blind to all its wants, who could its needs behold,
 And yet its hard-earned pay with frigid unconcern withhold.
 The army's dissolution near; it powerless to act;
 And government indifferent to its solemn compact —
 Since indigence is to revolt a very sure prelude,
 No wonder that hearts mutinied against ingratitude!

Imagine Martha Washington — the army in revolt,
 Sedition threatening to break out like a thunderbolt
 Of forced rebellion — 'mongst such men as even then would bleed
 To free their land from tyranny, and England's unjust greed ;
 But who were left to abjectness, while Congress failed to see
 That such hard-hearted apathy was breeding mutiny !

But time flew on and sweetest peace was joyfully declared —
 When George and Martha Washington with thankfulness repaired
 To beautiful Mount Vernon, and were recompensed at last
 For all the woe and suffering of a disordered past.

And then, thank God, from mighty throes of patriotism born,
 An independent nation did this world of ours adorn,
 Which introduced a period of national display,
 When social codes of refinement exerted potent sway !
 Then gentlemen wore velvets, silks, ribbons, aye, and laces, —
 And thus dressed out did much affect courtly airs and graces.
 Their scarlet cloaks, and ruffled shirts, and nicely-powdered wigs
 Adorned true men, tho' thus attired they looked somewhat like
 prigs.

Most lovely dames, with hair drawn high and with large combs
 bedecked,

In flower'd gowns of meagre cut, short-waisted and low-necked,
 Enchanting were, and passing sweet, tho', like old-time brocade,
 Their manners, while so elegant, were rather stiff and staid.

My heroine did not for long sweet rural peace enjoy,
 For Washington, the warrior, whom glory did annoy,
 In seventeen-eighty-nine was by his grateful land proclaimed
 Its President, to rule the nation by his skill reclaimed
 From foreign powers. The country liked his craft of statesman-
 ship,

And the intelligence which did his ev'ry act equip.

Both George and Martha Washington possessed those qualities
 Which well enabled them to govern their small world with ease,
 High-breeding, and calm dignity, culture of mind and heart,
 Which to distinction ever do such influence impart !

George Washington's real preference was for plantation life —
 He loved the forest's wilding ways, with inspiration rife ;
 And Martha Washington, like him, was fond of nature's joys —
 Of its rare trick of doing things, which charms and never cloy !

But when first lady of the land — “unto the manner born” —
 She did her elevated rank transcendently adorn.
 While Washington was President she ev’rywhere did ride
 Behind six horses, all pure white, by twos ranged side by side.
 Her carriage was cream-colored, with its panels painted o’er
 With medallions depicting well the changing seasons four.
 Her servants wore green liveries faced daintily with white —
 In truth her equipage, entire, admirance did invite!
 She with perfection, it is said, her prim receptions held,
 Where ev’ry one the very height of courtliness beheld,
 Mingled with rare simplicity married to regal grace,
 Comporting with a republic and her exalted place.
 She offered to all visitors, without formality,
 Plum-cake and coffee, or, mayhap, the reinstated tea;
 And with fine tact, and wifely care, at 9 P.M. would hint
 That it was full time to adjourn, then, with a playful glint
 Of diplomacy, she would add that Washington, the brave,
 To early hours, for his health’s sake, was forced to be the slave.

When President, in New York first Washington resided —
 And there Martha, his winsome wife, graciously presided
 Over the house executive, where refinement and state,
 With social pleasures, did the world of fashion animate.
 He lived in Philadelphia tho’, throughout the second term
 That he was this land’s President, and that term did confirm
 The truth that Lady Washington was the consummate peer
 Of any lady living, and her manners did endear
 Her to the country whereof brave George Washington was sire —
 Tho’ to a public sphere in life she never did aspire.

Patrician Martha Washington, on old traditions bred,
 Inherited from British sires, could never bear, ’tis said,
 The Democrats, who in those days, old chronicles aver,
 Than the party called Federal far less distinguished were.
 When absent once she home returned, and found that while away
 Her sweet grand-daughter, Nellie Custis, who was bright and gay,
 Had entertained a visitor, whose perfumed head had lain
 Against her new straw-colored wall and left an ugly stain, —
 With angry scorn, condemnngly, she with disdain exclaimed:
 “All other than a Democrat, I vow, would be ashamed

To mark my pretty wall-paper with his good-for-naught head ! ”
 And if those words, contemptuous, were by her tongue e’er sped,
 It only shows that human hearts are full of prejudice,
 And that men oft, when swayed thereby, the law of kindness miss.
 With indignation she did aye the newspapers condemn,
 Because they did, in coarse wood-cuts, her husband’s acts condemn ;
 And when they pictured him as placed upon the guillotine,
 Like the French king, her ire thereat, *on dit*, was very keen.
 So, fancy her seraphic joy when Washington refused
 To serve as President again ; tho’ heartily infused
 With gratitude for the esteem of his belovèd land,
 He, with great resolution, took a well-determined stand !
 Long years of active service past, he now desired to spend
 His days with Martha Washington, in ways which far transcend
 The cares and vast perplexities of an official life,
 So hedged about with fault-finding and universal strife.
 In seventeen-ninety-six it was, in brilliant-hued September,
 That Washington wrote his “ Address of Farewell ” all remember ;
 ’Twas written, too, at Mount Vernon, where he did oft repair,
 That he might there awhile forget the world’s malignant care ;
 And we can picture him full well, by kindly nature screened,
 As from the freedom of his life he inspiration gleaned
 For the “ Address ” whose finished grace hath thrilled the hearts
 of all,

Which severed him from politics, and that beyond recall ;
 But which to Martha Washington brought untold happiness,
 Apart from this world’s unkind taunts, and cold unfriendliness.
 Until her death Mount Vernon proved a calm haven of rest,
 Where days free from anxiety were filled with sweetest zest,
 Where friends were ever welcome, and the family life replete
 With intellectual pursuits and sentient joys which greet
 All those in love with nature, who in quietude delight, —
 Which doth “ a feast of reason and a flow of soul ” invite.

The true type of womankind a love of style confesses —
 And such, no doubt, would like to hear something of the dresses
 Once worn by Martha Washington, who, truly feminine,
 To silks and ribbons, feathers, lace, and such things did incline.
 Two gowns she wore were of brocade, yellow and green in tone,
 Whose *risquées* tints her beauty rare did graciously condone ;

Another gown was of striped silk, fawn-colored and maroon,
The lighter bands bestrewn with flowers like blossomed days of
June.

Her laces looked like filmy webs by cunning spiders wrought,
Which in midsummer one oft sees, sprayed with mist-gems, and
taut,

With tense strands spun from twig to twig of some rose-bush in
bloom,

Whose blows the impearled gossamers with pale-flushed sparkles
lume.

One fan she had she sure did wear with her gown of striped silk,
For of the lighter lines therein the fan's hue was the ilk, —

'Twas fawn-colored, with ivory sticks, its surface painted o'er
With an embellished pedestal, whose top five figures bore.

Her slipper heels were silver tipped, cut high in the French style, —
And when she danced their shimmer did, no doubt, all eyes be-
guile —

And, oh, her pretty costumes did a witching grace impart
Unto her excellence of soul and lovingness of heart!

An anecdote I'll now relate which demonstrates that fun

Was not beyond the province of intrepid Washington;

And as the narrative displays the tenderness of heart

Belonging to my heroine, it herein hath a part.

Once on a time the sculptor Wright at Mount Vernon appeared, —

By love of fame and lucre to that peaceful harbor steered, —

For he desired to mould a bust of the redoubted chief,

Which Martha Washington's affright brought very near to grief.

Now Wright, intent upon his work, had placed upon the bed

His patient model, whose fine head and face he then had spread

With a thick coat of plaster, moist, when thro' the doorway came

Dame Washington, who, when she saw her lord, did loud exclaim

With mingled terror and dismay, for she could see no fun

In any one maltreating thus her dear George Washington.

Her unfeigned fright was ludicrous, and well-nigh did beguile

George Washington, tho' so besmeared, into a ready smile; —

The smile was stifled, but, alas! its enforced suppression,

Gave to the bust, sculptured by Wright, a burlesque expression,

Which all have noticed, ignorant that the odd twitch betrayed

The love of fun inherent in George Washington so staid.

George Washington, the patriot, the statesman, and the man, —
 Whose services in peace and war the nation's hopes outran, —
 Passed peacefully away from earth in seventeen-ninety-nine,
 When he exchanged his earthly state for majesty divine.
 As Martha Washington for days beside his bedside stayed,
 And, with submission to God's will, for his recovery prayed,
 'Tis certain that for the first time her wifely courage failed,
 And that before swift Providence she sorrowfully quailed.
 But when they told her that the hero, Washington, was dead,
 She cried aloud: "Now it is well, I've nothing more to dread!"
 She seemed no longer for this world nor for its joys to care,
 But for her own transition hence, with wisdom did prepare.
 Her will was made, wherein she manumitted all her slaves,
 Which act with kind humanity her precious life engraves.
 For three years more she lingered here, when her soul did ascend,
 A raptured, blest eternity in Paradise to spend!

The rose, the sweetest of all flowers, tho' briery its stem,
 Is for true womanhood, methinks, a fitting diadem —
 The royal mark of beauty, with strong character combined,
 The seal of purity with power to fight all wrong entwined!
 For character doth never grow from mere docility,
 But, beautiful, is brambled o'er with supreme energy
 To do what's right tho' it offend the code of courtesy;
 And righteously to stab with scorn the insincerity
 Which social usage oft demands, and for integrity —
 The soul's divine insignia, its noblest blazonry —
 To barter friendship, howe'er sweet; all luxury and ease,
 And, rather than the world to strive Almighty God to please!
 And like a rose, lovely and pure, and wonderfully sweet,
 Fair Martha Washington was with its attributes replete,
 Possessing thorns of character, I venture me, to right
 With Christian courage all the wrong menaced by worldly might.
 Therefore no one is worthier than Martha Washington
 To be enshrined among the pure in our hearts' Parthenon —
 And fitter pilgrimage, I ween, to tomb is never made
 Than to Mount Vernon, where beneath the leafy, branching shade
 Of trees primeval, close beside the *Pater Patriæ*,
 Her body rests, there sepulchred until that final day
 When virtues exercised on earth shall win plenary praise.
 Oh! then, when God shall the redeemed with exaltation raise,

I doubt me not that he will say to Martha Washington :

“ ‘Thou good and faithful servant,’ I pronounce thy work ‘well done!’ ”

The acme of sweet graciousness, the crown of womankind,
May we in Martha Washington a rare ensample find !

BEVERLY, MASS., BAPTISMS.

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Day.	Mo.	
18.	Aug.	Daniel, of John and Mary (Dodge) Herrick.
“	“	Lydia, of Samuel and Betty (Thorndike) Gould.
“	“	Bethiah, of John and Rebecca Standley.
25.	“	Andrew, of William and Abigail (Gale) Hooper.
		Elizabeth, of Samuel and Mary (Norton) West.
1.	Sept.	Robert, of Daniel and Elizabeth (Conant) Coburn.
“	“	Eunice, of Joseph and Elizabeth (Sallows) Trask.
8.	“	Benjamin, of John and Sarah Lee, of Manchester.
22.	“	Thomas and James, of Robert and Mary (West) Woodberry.
13.	Oct.	Josiah, of George and Sarah (Conant) Trow.
“	“	Anna, of William and Mary (Creatty) Dodge (third wife).
20.	“	Israel, of Benjamin and Anna Lovett.
“	“	Eleanor, of Jacob and Eleanor (Haskell) Griggs.
27.	“	Andrew, of Benjamin and Mary Ellingwood.
“	“	James, of Henry and Susanna (Beedle) Herrick.
17.	Nov.	John, Joseph and Abigail, of John and Abigail Moulton, of Manchester.
“	“	Abigail, of Joseph and Sarah (Reith) Tuck.
“	“	James, of John and Sarah (Morrill) Ellingwood.
24.	“	Hawley, of Richard and Agnes Marshall.
“	“	Mary, of Moses and Sarah (Dodge) Gage.
1.	Dec.	Abigail, of Jonathan and Bethiah (Baker) Dike.
22.	“	Mary, of Jeremiah and Mary (Derby) Hubbard.
29.	“	Mary and Martha—twin—of Robert and Mary (Thorndike) Morgan.

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5.	Jan.	Joseph, of Samuel and Mary Bishop.
26.	“	Gideon, of Cornelius and Abigail (Sallows) Baker.

Day.	Mo.	
2.	Feb.	Andrew, of John and Deborah (Conant) Derby.
"	"	Jane, of Joseph and Elizabeth (Bond) Pride.
9.	"	Moses Fluant, "a man grown."
16.	"	Paul, of Paul and Mary (Batchelder) Thorndike.
23.	"	Elisha, of William and Joanna (Wheeler) Woodberry.
"	"	Edmund, of Edmund and Mary (Low) Grover.
2.	Mar.	Andrew, of John and Elizabeth (Ober) Balsh.
9.	"	Abraham, of Simon and Annis (Swetland) Lovett.
"	"	John, Joseph, Abraham and Isaac, of Phillip and Martha LeCodie.
16.	"	Rachel wife of Leonard Slue.
"	"	Daniel, of John and Bethiah (Woodberry) Batchelder.
12.	Apr.	Benjamin, of Benjamin and Mary (Johnson) Parnell.
20.	"	Thomas, of Samuel and Sarah (Leach) Herrick.
11.	May	Martha Pickett — "a grown maid."
"	"	Robert, of John and Mercy (Eaton) Cleaves.
"	"	Elizabeth, of Matthew and Elizabeth (Hooper) Butnam.
"	"	Alice, of Nehemiah and Susanna (Low) Wood.
18.	"	Elizabeth Shaw — "being abt 18 years old."
"	"	Mary, of Gabriel and Mercy Wood.
25.	"	Joseph, of Joseph and Rebecca (Woodberry) Corn- ing.
"	"	Lydia, of Elezer and Lydia (Groves) Giles.
1.	June.	Elizabeth, of Luke and Susanna Morgan.
8.	"	Lydia, of Joseph and Sarah (Hart) Balsh.
15.	"	Rebecca, of Dea. Peter — deceased — and Mary (Dodge) Woodberry.
"	"	Samuel, of Samuel and Abigail (Ober) Butman.
"	"	Robert, of Richard, Jr., and Hannah (Eaton) Patch.
22.	"	Peter, of Richard, Jr., and Priscilla (Woodberry) Ober.
29.	"	William, of George and Rebecca Pierce.
6.	July.	William, of Lot, Jr., and Elizabeth (Pride) Conant.
"	"	Samuel, of Samuel and Eleanor (Cleaves) Balsh.
"	"	Emma, of John and Emma (Taylor) Haskell.
27.	"	Moses, of Moses and Mary Fluant.
3.	Aug.	Mary, of John and Hannah (widow of John Green) Frost.

10. Aug. Ebenezer, of Nathaniel, Jr., and Anna (widow of Edw. Rich, *née* Balsh) Wallis.
- " " Rebecca, of James and Rebecca (Biles) Patch.
- " " Rachel, of Jabez and Rachel (Allen) Baker.
17. " Bethiah, of John and Mary (Pride) Lovett.
24. " Esther, of Ralph and Sarah (Woodberry) Ellingwood.

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PRESTON, CONN., RECORDS OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

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Benjamin parrish m. 18 Apr. 1705 Mary Tracy, and had Benjamin b. 10 May 1706, Joseph b. 18 Jan'y 1708, Mary b. 10 Aug. 1709, Hannah b. 16 Apr. 1711, Azariah (dau.) b. 5 July 1713, Samson b. 20 Aug. 1715, Deborah b. 7 June 1718, Daniell b. 28 June 1720, Jerusha b. 30 June 1722, Abigall b. 31 July 1725. Azariah (son) d. 10 Apr. 1740.

Nathaniell Broun m. 14 Dec. 1731 Keziah Kinni, and had Keziah b. 2 Oct. 1732, Elizabeth "Brown" b. 1 Apr. 1734, Luce b. 10 Apr. 1735 (Elizabeth d. 7 Apr. 1736), Mary b. 7 Aug. 1736, Nathaniel b. 24 Mch. 1738, James b. 11 Sept. 1739. (53)* "Christopher Tracy."

Christopher Tracy m. 20 May 1705 Lidia Parrish. Lidia b. 5 May 1706, mary b. 14 Jan'y 1708, "Dieed" 25 June 1708, hannah b. 27 Apr. 1709, christopher b. "1th" June 1711, jonathan b. 16 Dec. 1713, Lidsay b. 9 Feb'y 17 $\frac{16}{15}$, Bethiah b. 19 July 1718, Dorothy b. 11 Jan'y 17 $\frac{20}{9}$, Esther b. 19 Jan'y 17 $\frac{21}{0}$, Deborah b. 20 Apr. 1722, Jerusha b. 4 May 1725, Solomon b. 8 Aug. 1724. "The Aboue Named Christopher Dyed ye 9th Day of february 17 $\frac{24}{5}$."

* These references are to paging of Book I.

NOTE. — Quotation marks are used to mark any peculiarities in the record.

Samuell Branch m. 23 May 1728 Anne Lamb, and had Samuell b. 6 Aug. 1729, Solomon b. 13 Oct. 1730, Cyprian b. 5 June 1732, Anne b. 17 Feb'y 173 $\frac{3}{4}$, Isaac b. 27 Aug. 1737, Vine (son) b. 21 Jan'y 174 $\frac{2}{3}$; Cyprian d. 13 May 1748, Solomon d. 9 Nov. 1749.

(54) "Richard Adams."

Elizebeth Adams, dau. of Richard and Marcy, b. 25 July 1705, Richard b. "3th" June 1708, Abigell b. 22 Mch. 171 $\frac{7}{8}$. "Mr. Richard Adams Sen^r." d. 12 Apr. 1749. "M^{rs}. Marcy Adams" d. 24 Dec. 1749.

Benjamin Freeman and Abigal Tracy, "both of Preston" m. 2 Jan'y 174 $\frac{4}{5}$, and had Margrit b. 2 Oct. 1745, Abigal b. 5 May 1747. "y^e s^d. Abigal Freeman Died May ye 12 1748." Phinehas, "their son," b. 6 Feb'y 174 $\frac{8}{9}$, d. 20 July 1751, Phineas b. 1 Apr. 1752, Gager (son) b. 18 Nov. 1757.

Hugh Macknell m. 26 Sept. 1720 Sarah Basset, and had Rose b. 13 Sept. 1722, Sarah b. 7 Mch. 17 $\frac{3}{4}$.

"The age of John Duffeys Child."

John Duffey b. 16 May 1726.

Caleb Freeman m. 14 Apr. 1737 Zipporah Tracy, and had Lucy b. 26 Apr. 1739, Ledy a b. 5 June 1741, Caleb b. 13 Nov. 1743. "The above named Lucy Freeman Dyed Nov^r. y^e 20 1743." Zipporah, "their daughter," b. 30 Aug. 1745.

"Moved to y^e New Book."

(55) "joseph freeman."

joseph freeman m. 2 Dec. 1708 Hannah Brewster. joseph b. 4 mch. "170 $\frac{9}{10}$," Daniell b. 1 Apr. 1712, "son to Joseph freeman & Hannah his wife," Caleb. b. 27 Feb'y 171 $\frac{5}{8}$, Hannah b. 24 Feb'y 171 $\frac{3}{4}$, Nathan b. 23 Sept. 1721, Phinis b. 23 Oct. 1718. "Said Phinyas Died May y^e 9 — 1746." Benjamin b. 27 Nov. 1723, Sam^l b. 25 June 1726, mary b. 12 July 1728, Jemime b. 13 Mch. 173 $\frac{1}{2}$. "The aboue namd Dan^l freeman Dyed y^e 28 of Aprill 1733: The aboue Named Joseph freeman Sen^r Dyed May the 2 1733."

Jonathan Dauison m. 3 Nov. 1720 Keziah Park. Keziah,

"yr Daughter," b. 17 Aug. 1721, Jonathan, "y^r son," b. 2 Dec. 1723. Thomas, "yr son," b. 5 Nov. 1725.

(56) "Timothy herick."

Benjamin herick b. 17 Apr. 1706, Desire & thankfull herick b. 29 May 1708, Timothy herrick b. 22 June 1710, Robert herrick b. 1 Mch. 171 $\frac{2}{3}$, Waightstill b. 1 June 1715, Israel b. 11 June 1720, Silence b. 22 May 1725.

Benjamin Guile m. 1 July 1719 Phebe Denison, and had William b. 1 "Martch" 17 $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{2}{3}$, Phebe b. 22 Jan'y 17 $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{4}{5}$.

Ebenezer witter m. 26 Mch. 1729 Elisabeth Brown, and had Josiah b. 17 Nov. 1729, Nathan b. 5 Nov. 1731, John b. 12 Sept. 1733, Mary b. 11 July 1735, d. 25 Jan'y 173 $\frac{6}{7}$, (Josiah d. 27 Feb'y 173 $\frac{6}{7}$, John d. 2 Mch. 173 $\frac{6}{7}$), Jacob b. 6 May 1737, Elisabeth b. 20 Jan'y 173 $\frac{8}{9}$, John b. 28 Sept. 1742, Asa b. "October ye 1 — 1744."

(57) "Ephrim herrick."

Anna herrick b. "february 5: 1696 on the 3 day of the weeke," jerusha b. "Desember th11: 1699 on the 2 day of the weeke," eLizabeth b. "july th14: 1702 on the 4 day of the weeke," Prissilla b. "february th6: 1705 on the 3 day of the weeke," William b. "july th25: 1708 on the 1 day of the weeke," Isaac b. "January th1: 17 $\frac{1}{11}$ $\frac{2}{11}$ the forthe day of the weeke," d. "Nouemb^r ye 14th: 1713 ye 3^d Day of ye weeke."

Jonathan Wheeler m. 14 Oct. 1729 Grace Benjamin, and had Ame b. 22 June 1730, Grace b. 25 July 1733.

Oliver Clark "of Norwich" m. 8 Nov. 1739 Elisabeth Freeman "of Preston," and had James b. 5 July 1740, Oliver b. 19 Mch. 1742, Elizabeth b. 17 Mch. 1744, Zipporah b. 21 June 1746, Pharez b. 3 Nov. 1749.

(58) "frances Plumer."

abegall plumer b. 6 Mch. 1705, Ebn^ezer b. 13 Apr. 1710.

Jonathan Brewster m. 9 Nov. 1726 mary Parrish and had Lucresha b. 14 Aug. 1727, Ruth b. 6 Apr. 1730, Ephraim b. 20 Aug. 1731, Jonathan b. "in Preston" 8 June 1734, Mary b. 2 Dec. 1735, Lidia b. 13 Mch. 1738, Hannah b. 5 Mch. 17 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{9}{10}$.

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"James Bunday Children."

Hannah Bunday, dau. of James and Mary, b. 31 Aug. "17011," Deborah b. 7 Mch. 17 $\frac{1}{3}$, James b. 30 Nov. 1715, Mary b. 1 May 1717, unis b. 15 Apr. 1719, Peter b. 16 Mch. 17 $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{1}{1}$, Isaac b. 15 Apr. 1722, John b. 27 Nov. 1724, (Isaac d. — Apr. 1725), Isaac b. 15 Apr. 1726.

(59) "Samuell parke."

Samuell parke m. 8 May 1709 Abegell Ayers. Richard b. 3 June 1710, Abigall b. 6 July 1712, Adam b. 31 July 1714, Mary 20 Feb'y 170 $\frac{7}{8}$, Nehimiah b. 23 May 1719.

John Meach m. 1 May 1723 Sarah Huthens, and had Hannah b. 4 Mch. 172 $\frac{3}{4}$, Abigail b. 1 Aug. 1727, Joshua b. 16 Jan'y 173 $\frac{0}{1}$.

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Sawyer, John. [At Portsmouth] Mr. J. S. to Miss Sally Stagpole. (S. Sept. 20, 1794.)

Saxon, William. Mr. W. S., merchant, to Mrs. Mary Wheeler. (W. Jan. 8, 1794.)

Schuyler, Jeremiah. [At Albany] Mr. J. S., of Warrensbush, to Miss Jane Cutler. (W. Mar. 20, 1793.)

Scollay, Mary, m. Rev. Mr. Prentiss.

Scott, Betsy, m. Dr. Abijah Cheever.

Scott, Catharine, m. Capt. John Andrews.

Scott, Daniel. In this town, Mr. D. S., merchant, to Miss Betsy Holmes, both of this town. (W. Dec. 26, 1792.)

Scott, Hannah, m. William Barton.

Scott, James. At New York, Mr. J. S., merchant, to Miss Elizabeth C. Sowers. (W. Feb. 20, 1793.)

Scott, Nancy, m. Nathaniel Patten.

Scott, Nathaniel. At the Court House, yesterday, Mr. N.

S. to Miss Ruggles, both belonging to adjacent towns.
(W. July 3, 1793.)

The circumstances of the marriage are described in eighteen lines following the above notice. He preferred marriage to remaining in jail.

Scott, Peggy, m. Samuel Cobb.

Scott, Peter C. [In this town] Mr. P. C. S. to Miss Susanna Homans. (S. May 24, 1794.)

Seabury, Betsy, m. Ammi C. Hall.

Seabury, Hannah, m. John Jarvis.

Sears, David. At Providence, Mr. D. S., of this town, merchant, to Miss Winthrop, daughter of John Stille Winthrop, Esq., of New London. (W. June 21, 1786.)

Seaver, Samuel. [At Wiscasset] Mr. S. S. to Miss Hannah Smith. (W. Jan. 8, 1794.)

Seaver, William. In this town, Mr. W. S. to the engaging Miss Susannah Blake. (W. Nov. 14, 1787.)

Seavey, Sally, m. Joseph Dearborn.

Secomb, Betsy, m. John Hall.

Selsbry, Polly, m. Caleb Loring.

Sene, Col. At New York, Col. S., of S. Carolina (of the late American Army), to Miss Van Berckel, of that city, daughter of His Excellency Mr. Van Berckel, late Minister of the United Netherlands to the United States of America. (W. June 13, 1792.)

Seney, Hon. Joshua. At New York, Hon. J. S., Member of Congress, to Miss Fanny Nicholson, of that city. The Miss Nicholson's have been very fortunate — in attracting the attention of the Rulers of the Nation. — One of them was some time since married to the Most Hon. William Few, of the Senate — and another, we are told, is now addressed by a very worthy member from Virginia. Nor are these ladies more fortunate than meritorious. (S. May 15, 1790.)

Serrat, Abigail, m. Hugh Pebbles.

Sessions, Thomas. At Newport, Mr. T. S. to Miss Betsy Marchant, daughter to the Hon. Henry Marchant, Esq., of that city. (S. Nov. 5, 1791.)

- Sestren, Betsey, m. John Salmon.
- Seton, Miss, m. Hon. John Vining.
- Seton, James. At New York, Mr. J. S., merchant, to Miss Mary Hoffman, daughter of Nicholas Hoffmann, Esq., of that city. (W. Apr. 4, 1792.)
- Sewall, Hon. David. The Hon. D. S., Esq., Federal Judge of the District of Maine, to Miss Elizabeth Langdon, eldest daughter of the Rev. Dr. Langdon, late President of the University of Cambridge. (S. Dec. 18, 1790.)
- Sewall, Hannah, m. Martin Cushing.
- Sewall, Henry. [At Bath, Kennebeck] Mr. H. S. to Miss Esther Wheeler Moody. (W. Nov. 12, 1794.)
- Sewall, Joseph. At Bath, Kennebeck, Mr. J. S. to Miss Lydia Marsh. (W. Nov. 12, 1794.)
- Sewall, Samuel. [At Bath, Kennebeck] Mr. S. S. to Miss Polly Lambert. (W. Nov. 12, 1794.)
- Seward, Benjamin. In this town, Mr. B. S. to Miss Rebecca Peete. (W. July 22, 1789.)
- Seymore, Mrs. Bridget, m. John Whitney.
- Shackerly, Capt. John H. [At New York] Capt. J. H. S. to Miss Elizabeth Kumbel. (W. June 13, 1792.)
- Shaffer, Barnet. At Philadelphia, Mr. B. S. to the amiable Miss Sophia Springer, aged 13 years and 9 months. (S. Oct. 27, 1787.)
- Shafton, Capt. Capt. S., of London, to the amiable Miss Polly Vincent, of this town. (S. March 9, 1793.)
- Shattuck, Capt. Jeremiah. At Pepperel, Capt. J. S., aged 90, to Mrs. Ruth Bixby, aged 75; his descendants are 10 children, 60 grandchildren, about 70 great-grandchildren, and 1 of the 5th generation — her descendants are 13 children, 39 grandchildren, &c. (S. March 10, 1792.)
- Shaw, Benjamin. At New York, Mr. B. S., of Boston, to Miss Charity Smith, of the former place. (S. Nov. 22, 1794.)

Repeated Dec. 13.

Shaw, Betsy, m. Andrew Craigie.

Shaw, Rev. Josiah Crocker. At Marshfield, Rev. J. C. S., of Cohasset, to Miss Ruth Stockbridge Winslow, daughter to Isaac Winslow, Esq. (W. Mch. 27, 1793.)

Shaw, Samuel. In this town, by the Rev. Mr. Eckley, S. S., Esq., to Miss Hannah Phillips. (W. Aug. 29, 1792.)

Shaw, Temperance, m. Joseph Blish.

Shaw, William. In this town, W. S., Esq., to Miss Proctor, eldest daughter of Edward Proctor, Esq. (W. Oct. 21, 1789.)

Shaw, Rev. William. The Rev. W. S., of Marshfield, to Miss Nancy Checkley, of this town. (W. Oct. 6, 1790.)

Sheaffe, Nancy, m. John Erving, jun.

Shepard, Mrs., m. Samuel Hunt.

Shepard, Allice, m. Abiel Winship.

Shephard, Rev. Mase. In this town, the Rev. M. S., of Little Compton, Rhode Island, to Miss Deborah Haskins, daughter of Capt. John Haskins, distiller. (W. July 9, 1788.)

Married July 6. Haskins' R. W. Emerson; his maternal ancestors, p. 147.

Shepherd, Nancy, m. Joseph Edmunds.

Shepherd, Polly, m. Benjamin Wheeler.

Sherburne, John Samuel. At Portsmouth, J. S. S., Esq., to Miss Submit Boyd, daughter to the Hon. George Boyd, Esq., deceased. (S. Nov. 5, 1791.)

Sherburne, Joseph. In this town, J. S., Esq., late from India, to Miss Frances Johnstone Dana, daughter to the Rev. Edmond Dana, D.D., of Shrewsbury, England, and niece of the Hon. Chief Justice of this Commonwealth. (W. Nov. 20, 1793.)

Shields, Mrs., m. Hon. Henry Innes.

Shipman, Capt. Richard E. [In this town] Capt. R. E. S., of Hull (England), to Miss Mary Goodhue, only daughter of the late Dr. Goodhue. (W. Dec. 26, 1792.)

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ELIZABETH (ALDEN) PARODIE AND DESCENDANTS.

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127. ⁴Barnabas Soule (³Mercy Southworth, ²Mary Parodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). Born 1705. Went to North Yarmouth. He is the ancestor of many; all the rest in Freeport, Yarmouth, Pownal, and other towns in Maine, descended from Jedidiah. In early part of 1745 bought a homestead of his elder brother Cornelius. He married, in 1737, Jane, the posthumous daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Stockman) Bradbury, of Salisbury, Mass., born 1718, bapt. 4 Aug., 1718. She was the youngest sister of Mrs. Dorothy, the wife of Rev. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter, and great-granddaughter of the noted divine Rev. John Wheelwright. Barnabas and his wife were received into the First Church 30 Aug., 1742, by public profession, and on the 5th September following he brought his two sons to baptism. He died 8 April, 1780, aged 75 years; lies buried in the old burying ground that overlooks the town and gives a glimpse of the blue waters of Casco Bay in the distance.

Children :

- 693. ⁵Moses Soule, born Feb. 19, 1738; bapt. Sept. 5, 1742.
- 694. John Soule, born March 12, 1740; bapt. Sept. 5, 1742.
- 695. Cornelius Soule, born June 28, 1743.
- 696. Sarah Soule, born Sept. 4, 1745; bapt. Oct. 6, 1745.
- 697. Elizabeth Soule, born Oct. 28, 1747; bapt. Nov. 1, 1747.
- 698. Mercy Soule, born Nov. 27, 1749; bapt. Feb. 18, 1750.
- 699. Samuel Soule, born June 16, 1752; bapt. Aug. 1, 1752.

700. Jane Soule, born Sept. 27, 1755; bapt. Sept. 28, 1755.

701. Barnabas Soule, born March 25, 1758; bapt. May 7, 1758.

128. ⁴Ichabod Soule (³Mercy Southworth, ²Mary Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury. I found on the Duxbury Records the marriage of Ichabod Soul and Grace Turner, both of Duxbury, March 25, 1734. When the estate was divided, in 1751, we find that Ichabod Soule was dead, and an only child, Abigail Soule, survived him, and received 19 acres of land.

Child:

702. ⁵Abigail Soule.

129. ⁴Gideon Soule (³Mercy Southworth, ²Mary Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). I have no more knowledge of him, except he was spoken of as half witted, and an eccentric person, probably never married. An amusing incident can be found on page 201, Winsor's Duxbury.

131. ⁴Elizabeth Soule (³Mercy Southworth, ²Mary Pabodie, ¹Elizabeth Alden). Married Barnabas Perry. He died without a will. I know nothing more.

132. ⁴Deborah Soule (³Mercy Southworth, ²Mary Pabodie, ¹Eliz. Alden). She married John Hunt as his second wife. The Hunt Genealogy says he was son Thomas and Honour (Stetson) Hunt. He married first Esther Wright(?), and second May 1, 1746, Deborah Soule. By first wife he had Judah, John, Mary, and Asa. By second wife:

703. ⁵Samuel Hunt; "was of Capt. Bradford's Company, and died at White Plains."

704. Lot Hunt.

705. Deborah Hunt; married, April 13, 1773, Joseph Brewster, Jr.

The mother died Dec. 14, 1805. I give this family just as it is printed, but do not feel sure of the facts.

133. Jedediah⁴ Soule (Mercy³ Southworth, Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born about 1720, in Duxbury. He came to Long Island, Casco Bay, where he settled. His descendants comprise more than half of the present number of persons who have borne the name of Soule in Freeport. He married, in Duxbury, Tabitha Bishop. After she came to North Yarmouth she was baptized in adult life, 26th Oct., 1766, at the First Church.

Children :

- 706. Ichabod⁵ Soule, born about 1742.
- 707. Deborah Soule, bapt. 15 Sept., 1765, at the First Church of Falmouth.
- 708. Jedediah Soule, born about 1747.

138. Elnathan⁴ Weston (Elizabeth³ Southworth, Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, Sept. 29, 1727. Winsor says he died Dec. 29, 1777. He lived in Duxbury. He married Jemima Bisbee. Winsor says she died July 6, 1812, aged 87. Weston Genealogy, in 41st vol. of N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register, says she died 1811.

Children, born in Duxbury :

- 709. Samuel⁵ Weston, born about 1753.
- 710. Abigail Weston, born June 4, 1758.
- 711. Nathaniel Weston, born Dec. 27, 1760; died Oct. 19, 1777, I presume unmarried. "He enlisted with Capt. Wadsworth's company; was at the siege of Boston, joined Gen. Gates' army, was at Ticonderoga," and died in the army.
- 712. Elizabeth Weston.
- 712a. Priscilla Weston, born Jan. 7, 1764, says Winsor. Weston Genealogy says, born Sept. 30.

139. Deacon Jedediah⁴ Southworth (Thomas,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born about 1702, and died Sept. 8, 1739. He married Hannah Scales, daughter of William Scales, of North Yarmouth, Maine. He removed to North Yarmouth in 1730, but returned to Duxbury in

1735. In my article on Thomas Southworth I gave his will as speaking of "five grandsons, sons of my son Jedediah." I have since seen the will at Plymouth. Thomas Southworth gives to "Deborah Loring, granddaughter," to "five sons of daughter Mary Loring," and to "five grandchildren, children of son Jedediah Southworth."

Children :

- 713. Sarah⁵ Southworth, born in Duxbury Oct. 8, 1729.
- 714. Susanna Southworth, born in No. Yarmouth, Maine, July 27, 1731; bapt. No. Yarmouth Church.
- 715. John Southworth, born Oct. 22, 1733, in No. Yarmouth.
- 716. James Southworth, born Nov. 17, 1735, probably in Duxbury.
- 717. Lydia Southworth, born in Duxbury, Oct. 11, 1738.

140. Mary⁴ Southworth (Thomas,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury, Sept. 18, 1703; married Feb. 3, 1724, Thomas Loring, son of Lieut. Thomas and Deborah (Cushing) Loring. He was dead in 1739, for his brother Joshua Loring was appointed administrator and guardians are appointed for the six children. Joshua Loring, the son, dies young and his portion is divided between his brothers and sister.

Children, born in Duxbury :

- 718. Thomas⁵ Loring, born April 12, 1725.
- 719. Simeon Loring.
- 720. Levi Loring.
- 721. Perez Loring, born Aug. 26, 1729.
- 722. Joshua Loring, born Feb. 5, 1735; died Feb. 3, 1754.
- 723. Deborah Loring, born March 31, 1738.

141. William⁴ Southworth (Constant,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Duxbury. Married Betsy Fullerton, daughter of Samuel Fullerton.

Children, born in Duxbury :

- 724. Mary⁵ Southworth.
- 725. Rumah Southworth, born 1742.

- 726. Edward Southworth, born 1743.
- 727. Thomas Southworth.
- 728. John Southworth, born 1753.
- 729. Nathaniel Southworth, born 1757.
- 730. William Southworth, born 1759; died June, 1759.
- 731. Alice Southworth, born 1764.

142. Benjamin⁴ Southworth (Constant,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). He married Mary Hunt in Kingston (on Kingston records). She was daughter of Thomas Hunt, of Hanover, Mass.

Children:

- 732. Sylvia⁵ Southworth.
- 733. Cynthia Southworth.
- 734. Abigail Southworth, born 1742.
- 735. A child.
- 736. Honor Southworth.
- 737. Olive Southworth.
- 738. Submit Southworth.

143. Marcy⁴ Southworth (Constant,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). She married and had a family, but the record has not reached me, and this family will be given in the next generation.

143a or 189a. Mary⁴ Southworth (Constant,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). I found this Mary after the family of Constant had gone to print, so inserted her under the head of Priscilla Simmons as 189a, as Priscilla was a Pabodie descendant. She was born about 1724; died May 16, 1765, age 41. She married Thomas Weston, son of Joseph and Mercy (Peterson) Weston, born in 1726. He always resided in Duxbury. He married second — Jan. 15, 1767 — Martha Chandler, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Hunt) Chandler. She was born Nov. 23, 1716. By his second wife he had Mercy Weston, born Jan. 29, 1768, married Isaiah Alden; Peleg Weston, born 1769; Almira

and Rebecca Weston, born June 16, 1774. Thomas Weston made his will, book 25, page 7, Plymouth probate records: "Thomas Weston of Duxborough, yeoman, gives to his dear and loving wife, Martha Weston, the improvement of $\frac{1}{2}$ of his real estate; $\frac{1}{3}$ of personal and wood in the woods, so long as she remains my widow, and all the things she brought. To his two sons and two daughters, by his first wife, viz.: Joseph, Thomas, Mary, and Jane, all the wood land that was their mother's. To his son Peleg, his silver knee buckles and stone buttons. I give to my four daughters, Mary, Jane, Mercy, and Rebecca £46. 18. 4. apiece, to be paid by my three sons, Joseph, Thomas, and Peleg, equally. Martha Weston and Joseph Weston executors."

Thomas and Mary (Southworth) Weston had children, all born in Duxbury:

739. Joseph⁵ Weston, born —, 1754.

740. Mary Weston, born —, 1755; died Sept. 26, 1760 or 1776 (says Weston genealogy).

741. Thomas Weston, born July 25, 1760.

742. Jane Weston.

144. Hannah⁴ Southworth (Benjamin,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). She married Hezekiah Harrington, of Marshfield.

145. Thomas⁴ Southworth (Benjamin,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born about 1718; married Anna.

Children:

743. William⁵ Southworth, born 1763.

744. Constant Southworth, born 1764.

745. Lydia Southworth, born 1766.

746. Hannah Southworth, born 1769.

747. Anna Southworth, born 1770.

146. John⁴ Southworth (Benjamin,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Married Sarah Clark.

148a. Jasper⁴ Southworth (Benjamin,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born about 1726; spoken of as "of Marshfield." Married Rumah Southworth, daughter of William and Betty (Fullerton) Southworth (his cousin once removed). She was born about 1712.

Children :

- 748. Deborah⁵ Southworth.
- 749. William Southworth (went to Waldoboro, Maine).
- 750. Francis Southworth, of Machias, 1767.
- 751. Lucy Ann Southworth.
- 752. Charles Southworth.
- 753. James Southworth.

148c. Deborah⁴ Southworth (Benjamin,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). She married Reuben⁴ Delano. He was son of Joseph³ Delano (Thomas,² Philip¹).

Children (from Winsor's Duxbury) :

- 754. Elizabeth⁵ Delano, born Sept. 10, 1755.
- 755. Rebecca Delano, born Sept. 25, 1757.
- 756. Reuben Delano, born June 26, 1761.
- 757. Deborah Delano, born July 25, 1765.
- 758. Sarah Delano, born Feb. 18, 1771.
- 759. Beri Delano, born Oct. 9, 1772.

153. Mercy⁴ Simmons (William,³ Mary² Pabodie, Elizabeth¹ Alden). Born in Little Compton, July 1, 1697. Married (Intention Aug. 30) Sept. 13, 1725, by Reverend Richard Billings, James Bennett. He was son of John and Mary () Bennett, formerly of Roxbury, Mass. His first wife was Ruth Rogers, daughter of John Rogers, Jr., and Elizabeth (Pabodie) Rogers. By his first wife he had no children that survived. Mercy (Simmons) Bennett died in Nov., 1768. James Bennett died Feby. ye 17, 1729/30, age 64. His will is recorded at Taunton, dated Feb. 5. 1729/30: "To wife Mary or Mercy, To son James Bennett, To son John Bennett, all my rights to lands in Woodstock, Suffolk Co. To daughter Mercy Bennett.

To daughter Ruth Bennett. Witnessed by Nathaniel Newell, Nathaniel Searle, and Sarah E. Newell."

Children, born in Little Compton :

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| 760. James Bennett, | } born July 10, 1726. |
| 761. Mercy Bennett, | |
| 762. John Bennett, | born June 16, 1728. |
| 763. Ruth Bennett, | born Oct. 19, 1729. |

Among the first members (1704) of the church in Little Compton is James Bennett, later a Ruth Bennett, and later still Mercy Bennett.

(To be continued.)

ESSEX COUNTY, MASS., PROBATE RECORDS.

(Continued from page 183.)

THOMAS NEWHALL, Sr., of Lynn.

Will dated 1 Apr., 1668; proved 1-5, 1674.

To son Thomas Newhall six acres marsh of which three are in Rumney marsh near the island, and three acres in the Town's marsh part on on Gaines' neck, and a peice adjoining my brother Farrington. To son John six acres in Rumney marsh, which if he have no children, to revert to Thomas, Son Richard Haven's children, i. e. Joseph, Richard, Sarah, Nathaniel, Moses. £20; when 21. Son Thomas Brown's children £20.

My daughters, Susanna Haven and Mary Browne.

Son Thomas Newhall executor. —

Son Thomas Newhall's children £30. —

THOMAS X NEWHALL Sr

Witnessed by Thomas Loughton, Robert Potter. (301.55)

Inventory, by Oliver Purchas and Robert Burges; presented, 1-5-1674, by Thomas Newhall. An old dwelling house, an old barn, and 6 acres of upland, 12 of meadow, £95; 30 acres in the woods; 1 bible and four other books; a

small parcell of land about an acre, "near the (over?) shut mill between the mill wast and the case way bridg." Total £173.01.07. (301.56.)

(Capt) WALTER PRICE, of Salem. —

Will dated 21 May, 1674, Legacies to grandchildren Elizabeth and Ann Price.

Son John confirmation of what was promised him on marriage, viz. $\frac{1}{3}$ ketch Freindship, also the whole ketch William and John, half the warehouse at Winter Island, the now dwelling house of John Lambert in Salem or the debt due to me from him.

To son John the dwelling-house wherein Dr. Weld now liveth, with ground belonging to it.

All the rest of my estate to my wife Elizabeth during her life, only she paying out of it such proportion as she thinks meet to my son William Price according as he shall behave himself.

John Price shall live in my now dwelling house with his mother, shall manage the estate, and the grand children Elizabeth and John Croad and Eliz^b. Price, till they are disposed of by their grandmother's consent. He to enjoy one half the estate after his mother's death; or the whole estate and paying out of it the value of one half to my grandchildren, Elizabeth and John Croad and their sister Hannah Croad, according to the will of his mother. Son William Price 20 shillings, and to my daughters Elizabeth Ruck and Hannah Veren twenty shillings apeice: also to my daughter Ann Bradstreete five shillings.

Wife Eliz^b Price and son John Price to be joint executors. Beloved bro: capt. William Gerrish of Newbury, and Capt. Thos. Lothrop of Beverly to be overseers.

WALTER PRICE

Witnesses Edward Norrice, Benjamin Gerrish. (301.57)

[The above will was proved at a county court held the 24: 9: 1674 as per page heading, but at the foot the clerk has

entered the acknowledgment of Mr. Edward Norrise and Benjamin Gerrish as 1 : 5 : 1672.]

Inventory by John Hathorne, John Higgenson,

Two dwelling houses near the meeting house, a kitchen, a stable, and land £400; ware-house in the town: $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mill on South river: ware-house on Winter Island; 5 acres in the planters' Marsh: 6 or 7 acres in the South field, part enclosed: house John Lambert lives in; house and land formerly John Baldings: land at Andover taken on execution from Mark Graves: ketch Freendship 36 T., £160: ketch William & John., 22 T., £100: $\frac{3}{8}$ ketch Beginning, 24 T., £60: $\frac{1}{2}$ ketch Hope, 27 T., — £60: $\frac{1}{2}$ ketch Patient Betty, 23 T., £47.: $\frac{1}{2}$ ketch Crekott, 18 T., £25: a negro apprentice boy with Wm Downton £25: man servant for 6 years, £8: (goods) in England in Mr. Harrod's hands £50: goods to the Southward and Eastward £56. —; household goods £158. Total £2058.14.04.

Funeral expenses cost about £60.

Mr. John Ruck came into court at Salem, 24-9-1674, and laid claim to a parcel of land included in the above inventory. (301.58)

LOTT CONANT. Will dated 24-7-1674. Aged about 50 years., sick and weak; to each of my five sons £50. To my son Nathan the shop and tools, over and above the rest. Unto my five daughters £20 each, to lie unbroken until they come of age or married, and in the meantime the whole to rest in the hands of my wife for bringing up her children. Wife executrix, and to have house and orchard for life. Kinswoman Mary Leach a cow at her being married, or going from my wife.

Mr. John Hale and Capt. Lothrop and my brother Exercise Conant to help my wife in care of estate.

LOTT CONANT

Witnessed by Roger and Exercise Conant, who appear in court 26-9-1674. (301.59)

Inventory of Lott Conant, deceased 29-7-1674, by William Dodg, Sr., and John Raiment.; 100 acres land, besides dwelling house etc.: shop where Nathaniel Conant works: $\frac{1}{8}$ part of a ketch: land at Marblehead by Darby fort, $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres: house at Marblehead: two leather chairs: Total £782. 16. 00.

Presented by relict, 26-9-1674. (301.60)

JOHN MARSH of Salem, will dated 28 March, 1672; proved 24-9-1674 by the witnesses.

To wife Susanna, my dwelling house and orchard for life; to be disposed of by her to which of my children she shall think fit.

Son Zechary "a part of my farme, viz: to have on the south end twenty five pole downeward the whole bredth of my farme."

My two sons Samuel and Jacob the remainder of my farm equally divided.

To son Ezekiel £5 three years after my decease. Son Benjamin £10 when twenty-one.

To daughter Bethia £3, three years after my decease.

If either Samuel and Jacob die unmarried or childless, then the land I have given them to be divided between the survivor and Zachary, who is to have all if both die.

Wife Susan executrix, my son Samuel to be joined with her. Loving friends Anthony Buxton and Nathaniel Felton, overseers.

JOHN MARSH.

Witnesses Nathaniel Felton, Anthony Buxton. (301.61)

Inventory taken 23 Nov., 1674, by overseers. House, orchard and land adjoining, £60; 50 acres of vacant land £40. Total £135.04.06. — Debts due to Capt. George Curwen, and Samuel Small, £3.05.00 $\frac{3}{4}$. (301.62)

"Abraham Whittier deceased his will & Inventory. And Walter Boston & the Inventory of Tho: Meere all filed up in the Court records 26, 9^{mo}: 74. but not recorded: alsoe

Coldoms & Lease pt. & what *else* new brought in this court." (301.62)

[From County Court files. Court held at Ipswich, 29 Sept., 1674.

THOMAS MEERE, dying intestate, administration to brother John Meere. Mr. Thomas Gardner and John Clifford sureties.

Inventory, 11 Sept., 1674, by Hilliard Veren, Sr., and Thomas Cromwell, £22.10.00.

Inventory estate Walter Boston, by John Legg and Robert Bartlett, £11.05.7. Administration to the relict]

(*To be continued.*)

NOTES ON ORIGINAL AND PRINTED SOURCES OF INFORMATION REGARDING NORTH CAROLINA.*

Charter, which covered both Carolinas, granted 1663 to Proprietors. North and South Carolina were formally separated about 1710, but the division had practically existed from the beginning. Proprietary government suspended by purchase by the Crown in 1728. North Carolina as now constituted was the scene of the ill-fated Roanoke colony. The first permanent settlement was by Virginians, who settled about the Albemarle, and until 1665 were considered as under the protection of Virginia.

First Assembly, prior to 2 June, 1665.

COUNTIES.		
1684.	1752.	1753.
Currituck,	Chowan,	Hyde,
Pasquotank,	Currituck,	Bladen,
Perquimans,	Perquimans,	Beaufort,
Chowan.	Bertie,	Craven,
	Tyrrell,	Johnson,
	Pasquetank,	Anson,

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Edgecomb,	Carteret,
Northampton,	Duplin,
Granville,*	New Hanover,
Orange,	Onslow.

Early Towns.—Bath, in Beaufort, incorporated 1704. Newbern, in Craven, incorporated 1710/11; Edenton, in Chowan, incorporated 1714; Beaufort, incorporated 1723; Brunswick, in New Hanover, incorporated about 1735; Wilmington, incorporated in 1734.

General Sources of Information.—Colonial records of the Colony and State (printed); county and parish records; church records of dissenters,† particularly of the Quakers.‡

For Revolutionary records§ see roster of officers in Moore's "History of North Carolina;" also Schenck's "North Carolina in 1780-81;" "Abstracts of Army Accounts of North Carolina Troops in Continental Service" (printed); Accounts between North Carolina and United States for service rendered and payments made by North Carolina in behalf of the United states, in three MSS. books in the Auditor's office at Raleigh; "A Defence of Revolutionary History of North Carolina from the aspersions of Mr. Jefferson," by J. S. Jones, 1834, contains a list of regimental officers in the militia, 1775-6; "History of North Carolina Troops in the Continental Establishment," by Davis.

NOTES.

The northern part of Carolina was settled by English coming at first from Virginia, and extended as far south as the Pamlico and Neuse. About 1690 some French Protestants from Virginia began settlements about the Pamlico and were speedily joined by others of their countrymen, who made their homes on the Neuse and Trent. In 1710 Germans from Heidelberg and vicinity on the Neckar in the Grand Duchy of Baden settled in North Carolina, and joined with the Swiss company of Christopher, Baron de Graffenreid, in the settlement of Newbern. Hawks says the English at this date were on the north side of the Albemarle Sound and Pamlico River, next

* Records are practically complete from 1746, date of incorporation. Mr. T. McA. Owen is preparing a history of the county to 1800, which will contain abstracts of probate records and genealogies.

† Few records of dissenting churches exist as early or earlier than 1750. The records of St. Paul's, at Edenton, for the establishment, are among the very few earlier records existing.

‡ See "Southern Quakers and Slavery," by Stephen B. Weeks. (Johns Hopkins studies, No. XV.)

§ Dr. Weeks adds that, beside the information relating to North Carolina soldiers in the Government pension records, there is much to be found in the State records now in course of publication. Other sources of information are Wheeler's "Reminiscences of North Carolina," "North Carolina University Magazine," "Craigherd Genealogy," and Coulter's "Caldwell."

a belt inhabited by the French, and south of all the German palatines and Swiss.

The northern and western portions of the State, in the uplands, were the seat of numerous settlements of Irish, Scotch, and Scotch-Irish, when that emigration turned toward America, beginning about 1716.

The counties were early separated into parishes, and the taxes were imposed by the vestry men, who, as in Virginia, had the local authority; but it is at the county seats that the genealogist will find the widest field for investigation.

The county records are in a fair state of preservation and quite generally preserved.

As early as 1752 good laws existed regarding the record of vital statistics. Marriage licenses were required, and marriage bonds required to be deposited with the clerk of courts. Marriages were to be performed by the clergy of the church of England or, in their absence, by a justice of the peace. Each parish was supposed to have a register of births, marriages, and deaths, kept by the recorder, or by the clerk of the church; but few, if any, such registers were actually kept.

The records of North Carolina from 1622 to 1790 are being printed, the whole to be followed by an exhaustive index prepared by Dr. Stephen B. Weeks. The period prior to 1776 is covered by ten volumes. These volumes represent all the documentary material that it has been possible to find for the period covered. It includes reports of early explorers, reports and correspondence of governors, correspondence of the Board of Trade, court records, laws, journals of the Legislature and of the Provincial Congresses, and other papers of interest.

North Carolina State Records, 1776-1790, continuing the above, is filled with the same class of material, reports and correspondence, journals of the Legislatures and of the Constitutional Conventions of 1788 and 1789. It contains the documentary history of North Carolina in the War of the Revolution. The last volume of the State series will be an exhaustive index to both series. In addition, it is there that the applications for land patents, etc., are to be found, together with the official action thereon. The State has also published a list of the State officials to 1874, which may be found in the "Legislative Manual and Political Register" for that year.

Rosters of the officers in the Revolution, all troops of the War of 1812, Mexican War and Civil War, have been published by the State.

"Most of the seventeenth century records have been printed in the 'Colonial Records,' but there are many land grants on record in Pasquotank and Perquimans counties prior to 1710 which have never been exploited. Some of the Pasquotank records, particularly the wills, were burned in 1862, those of Bladen and Washington counties have also been burned, and I think in Hertford county. Many of the early land grants are on file at Raleigh, also many of the early wills, only a portion of which are recorded. The present Secretary of State is trying to get this material into better shape than it has been. The records of Camden, Pasquotank, Chowan, Halifax, Warren, Granville, Wake, Chatham, Person, and Orange counties are in good condition (from personal examination), and I think those of Craven and Rowan also." — *Letter of Stephen B. Weeks.*

Dr. Weeks has also published a "Bibliography of the Historical Literature of North Carolina." (1895.)

A Baptist Colony from New Jersey settled in North Carolina in 1755.

A reprint of the "Jersey Settlements in Davidson County" appears in Vol. I. of the North Carolina Baptist Historical Papers. The collections of the above society, while not genealogical in character, contain much which will aid the genealogist.

The Virginian Historical Society publications will be found to contain much material pertaining to Carolina.

"The Moravians in North Carolina," by Rev. L. T. Reichel, Salem, N.C., 1837, contains a list of the first settlers and heads of families.

The publication of the "North Carolina University Magazine" was resumed in December, 1897. It was first established in 1844, and is a valuable depository of historical and biographical data.

History of Forsyth County, N.C., Salem, 1898, is valuable for its history of the Moravians in that part of Carolina.

Facts relating to the Tuscarora war of 1711-12 will be found in John Barnwell's journal published in the "Virginia Magazine" for April and July, 1898.

NOTES.

CORRECTION. — In our June issue we described the valuable list of Danvers (Salem Village) marriages, by Mr. Preston, as being copied from the records in the County Clerk's office. The original record is in the Salem City Hall.

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICES. — In the December, 1897, issue we printed an article upon the care and custody of public records. Attention was called to the necessity of providing places of deposit in central locations, where the records of various descriptions could be cared for and arranged by competent archivists. The public record office in London and the registries in Dublin and Edinburgh are examples of what can be done in this direction. Every State should establish such a depository, in which could be arranged the State, county, town, and parish records. In a future number we shall attempt to describe the methods in vogue in the British public record offices. Agitation for the removal of the ancient probate and parish registers in England to the public record office in London is constantly maintained. When that great good is accomplished students will rejoice.

SCOTTISH RECORDS. — The article on Scottish records by the editor, in our July-August issue, elicited the following comment from the accomplished genealogical scholar, Walter MacLeod, of Edinburgh:

"Indeed, I wonder at the precision with which you have

grasped the subject, which to most visitors proves too complicated for comprehension. In regard to the causes of migration to America you do not seem to have referred to the Scots who settled in Virginia and South Carolina, whither they were shipped in the reign of Charles II. because they would not deny the faith to please him. Not a few of them were branded or mutilated. New Jersey was also one of the places they were sent to. Some returned after the revolution of 1688, but those who remained were not few. The Darien expeditions between 1694 and 1806 were also the occasion of many young people going to and settling in the States, chiefly of the South."

THE OLD BERRY TAVERN, DANVERS.—In these days there is a revival of taverns situated in the country districts and made accessible by bicycles and trolley cars. The old tavern in Danvers is one of these. It stands on the site of an older house erected as early as 1741, and is opposite the historic Page house. There General Gage had his official headquarters in 1774, and on its roof was held the tea party, to avoid the interdict against tea in the house, which has been commemorated in verse by Lucy Larcom.

The Berry Tavern has been nearly rebuilt by the present owner, and pleasant, commodious suites are available.

There is no section in eastern Massachusetts from which so many beautiful drives and walks may be taken as Danvers. The old houses of witchcraft times, and earlier, yet remain. Quaint old places abound. From Folly Hill, on a pleasant day, the waves may be seen breaking on the shores of Quincy. Beverly, Wenham, Salem, and Topsfield are all within a half hour's ride. Danvers was formerly known as Salem Village, and is still a typical New England town in spite of its proximity to Boston.

THOMAS AND HENRY DOUGLAS came as passengers on ship "Consents" (Capt. Long), from Cape Fayre to Boston. Also Simon Mellins, æt. 27. — *Md. files, 1663.*

grasped the subject, which to most visitors proves too complicated for comprehension. In regard to the census of migration to America you do not seem to have referred to the States who settled in Virginia and South Carolina, whether they were shipped in the reign of Charles II. because they would not deny the debt to please him. Not a few of them were landed at Antigua. New Jersey was also one of the places they were sent to. Some returned after the revolution of 1783, but those who remained were not few. The London expedition between 1691 and 1696 were also the occasion of many young people going to and settling in the States, chief of the South.

The Old Heart Tavern, Danvers. In those days there is a record of tavern situated in the country districts and made accessible by horses and mule teams. The old tavern in Danvers is one of these. It stands on the site of an older house erected as early as 1711, and is opposite the historic Faneuil Hall. There General Gage had his official headquarters in 1775, and on his roof was held the tea party, to avoid the intended attack in the house, which has been otherwise used in times by Lady Garrison.

The Faneuil Tavern has been nearly rebuilt by the present owner, and pleasant accommodations are available. There is no section in eastern Massachusetts from which so many beautiful drives and walks may be taken as Danvers. The old houses of whitewashed towns, and certain fine remains. Quiet old lanes abound. From Faneuil Hill, on a pleasant day, the waves may be seen breaking on the shores of Quincy, Beverly, Woburn, Salem, and Topsfield are all within a half hour's ride. Danvers was formerly known as Salem Village, and is still a typical New England town in spite of its proximity to Boston.

Thomas and Heart Danvers came as passengers on ship "Cassius" (Capt. Lusk) from Cape Poge to Boston. Also Simon Mellick, et al. — *Ms. A. 9. 2. 1853.*

BOOK NOTICES.

[Authors and publishers are invited to send their publications for notice in this magazine. Books noticed in this department may be ordered through this magazine.]

THE FIRST REPUBLIC IN AMERICA, AN ACCOUNT OF THE ORIGIN OF THIS NATION, written from the records (1624), then concealed by the Council, rather than from the histories licensed by the Crown. By Alexander Brown, D.C.L. Boston, 1898, Houghton, Mifflin & Co. 8vo, pp. xxiv. 688.

Students of early American and especially Virginian history are already under a great debt to Dr. Brown for his "Genesis of the United States," which appeared in 1890. This present work is based upon the records of the Virginian Company which survive* and the collection of material made for the "Genesis."

The selection of a title for the present book is certainly unfortunate. Colonial Virginia was by no means a republic.† The colony was established under a charter from the king in 1606, and sustained during the trying period which followed by a powerful group of English leaders, who drew their support largely, if not wholly, from that section of the English people who were opposed to the pretensions of the Stuarts.

The charters of 1609 and 1612 were those under which the colony became self-reliant. It was under the second of those charters that the first representative assembly (1618) in America was instituted. Thus the *beginnings*‡ of an American Commonwealth were planted in fertile soil, but a soil not as favorable as that of New England for the development of republican institutions.

The "Genesis" covers the period 1605 to 1616; the present work the period from 1605 to 1627, from the second year of the reign of James I. to the second year of the reign of Charles I. It is the history of English colonization under King James; for the history of the more or less futile attempts at settlement in New England and the successful Plymouth settlement are intimately connected with the proceedings of the Virginia Company.

The evident partiality of the writer to any narrative which detracts from

*The original records of the company are believed to have been destroyed soon after their confiscation by the Privy Council. A copy had been made in the interests of Sandys and Southampton, covering the period 1619-1624, which now rests among the national archives at Washington. William Stith used the copy in preparing his history of Virginia published in 1747, the first use made of them by an historian. The United States procured the manuscript from Thomas Jefferson in 1814. It comprises 741 folio pages, bound in two volumes.

†The charter of 1606 left the government of the company under the control of the king and Privy Council, while those of 1609 and 1612 chartered the company as a corporation, and allowed it to manage its own affairs independent of royal control, except in state matters of importance. *The Council in Virginia was controlled by the Council in London.* The first governor under the second charter, Lord De la Ware, was granted absolute powers. (Page 123.)

‡"The popular charters and other legal instruments of the London Company for Virginia were drafted by Sir Edwin Sandys, assisted by other lawyers and politicians among the progressive thinkers of that period, who also designed a popular form of government for the colony, and these documents formed the original basis for civil and religious liberty in the new world." (Preface, page xix.)

the value of the services of the romantic adventurer, Capt. John Smith,* is evident on nearly every page. The reader is forewarned in the preface that no mercy is to be shown the man to whom, in the author's opinion, is due an utter misconception of the influences which prevailed to build up the colony. Smith is presented in colors which are entirely in variance with the character with which he is usually invested by historians.

Whatever were the faults of Capt. John Smith, he was selfish, bombastic, and time-serving, for he was but a type of the soldier of fortune, it is evident that he possessed great executive ability, and his faults were undoubtedly matched by those of the colonists with whom he was at odds during his residence in Virginia. The spirit of the times gave great license to personal attacks of the grossest sort.

The story is written in chronological order, and lengthy extracts are quoted verbatim from contemporaneous narratives, petitions, and the company's records. The author has not hesitated to liberally insert his own views of the subject where evidence is lacking, but the reader is plainly impressed that those are the personal views of the author.

The management of the company in London was largely in the hands of the party opposed to the court party. The meetings of the company were prolific of political discussion, and while we doubt the assumption of Dr. Brown that their principles were republican, there is no doubt but that the king considered them as seditious.

Sir Edwin Sandys, who drew up the charters of 1609 and 1612, was the leader of the opposition in Parliament. He is described by Dr. Brown, quoting Heylyn, as being opposed to the government of a monarchy and imbued with the Genevan principles of civil and religious liberty.

The court party in the company finally prevailed, the arrest of Sandys and confiscation of the company's records, and finally quo warranto proceedings, culminated in the resumption of the charter by the Crown (1624).

The events relating to the colony, both in Virginia and in England, are closely followed by the author, and his deductions may be safely followed to a great extent. It is unfortunate that the lack of references to sources of information deprives the reader from estimating Dr. Brown's judgment at its true worth, and the uncritical student of Virginian history cannot easily verify the quotations or judge of the correctness of the views advanced.

The apparent bias of the writer against the proceedings of the royalist party, while it attracts the sympathies of the reader, leaves a lingering suspicion of prejudice which is harmful to the book.

Smith is responsible for the statement, supplied by Rolfe, that the first negro slaves imported into Virginia were brought by a Dutch man-of-war during the latter part of August, 1619. Dr. Brown shows that the ship "Treasurer," in which the Earl of Warwick was interested, had been engaged in business of a somewhat piratical nature, and had been concerned in slaving. She came to Virginia in September, 1619, conveying the Dutchman mentioned by Smith, which in fact was more an English than Dutch ship. Her commander was English and so were part of her crew. Her character as a man-of-war was probably sustained by one of the popular letters-of-marque issued by the Prince of Orange to any vessel which would cruise against the Spaniards. Such ships were practically pirates, and the "Treasurer" was not far removed from the same category. Dr. Brown claims it was the "Treasurer" which brought the slaves, and that the stigma was cast upon the Dutchman to save the Earl.

The part which Spain took in attempting to prevent the establishment of the colony is clearly revealed. Her ministers in London were indefatigable in

* For a critical review of Dr. Brown's book and an able defence of Smith's narrative, the reader is referred to the October issue of the "Virginian Magazine of History and Biography." For the circumstances under which Smith's book was published, see "First Republic in America," page 635 *et seq.*

procuring information relating to the plans of the English, and urging the Spanish monarch to oust the colonists. Roman Catholic Spain claimed the territory and could not look on with equanimity while a Protestant colony was established. Spanish agents were untiring in stirring up the natives to oppose the English, in much the same manner followed by Roman Catholic France in opposing the advance of the English in New England.

It was due in a great measure to the opposition of Spain which led to the granting of the charter which gave the management of the colony to the company. King James would thus be able to disavow the colony if necessary, while if successful he, with England, would profit.

A feature of the index, which is excellent, is the starring of names of persons whose biographies are given in the "Genesis." Under "ships" there are two columns of references to ships trading or touching at Virginian ports. Under the entry "first" are indexed such references as the "first marriage," "first gentlewoman," "first charter," etc., a most convenient arrangement.

The impartial reader will certainly agree with Dr. Brown in so far as he advances the claim that the maintenance of the colony was due to the untiring efforts of such men as Sandys and the Earl of Southampton, and that it was the rule of the company and not of the king under which liberal institutions were firmly planted in Virginia, even if he fails to accept many of the assumptions put forth in the book.

From a most interesting summary presented on pp. 612-632 are taken the following items:

In November, 1619, there were about 900 English. Between 1619-1624 4,749 English were sent to Virginia, but in February, 1624, less than 1,100 of these were living in Virginia. But one stone house was reported in the colony in 1624. The inhabitants consisted of 432 males and 176 females who were free; 441 males and 46 females as servants; 107 children; 23 negroes; 2 Indians; total, 1,227.

The Church of England was the church of the colony, but there was liberty of religion, some of the immigrants being non-conformists, some of the ministers "Independents." The early ecclesiastical history of the colony is probably more incomplete than the secular.

A valuable part of the book is the mention of transfers of shares in the company, and lists of patents granted. Dr. Brown has afforded great aid to the student of Virginian genealogy from the liberal mention of those concerned in the enterprise both in England and America, and in ways both great and small.

✓ THE HISTORY OF ORANGEBURG COUNTY, S.C. By A. S. Salley, Jr. 8vo. pp. 572. Price, \$2.

The spirit of antiquarian research has awakened in the South during the past five years. Not only have we magazines and other special publications devoted to genealogy and local history, but there have recently appeared three or four important historical works. One of these we owe to Mr. Salley.

"At the time of the Revolution the District of Orangeburg embraced the present counties of Barnwell, Bamberg, Aiken, Lexington, and Orangeburg. In his introduction Mr. Salley traces the various political and judicial subdivisions of South Carolina from the earliest times to the present day, with particular reference to Orangeburg County. In his first chapter some account is given of the people who first settled in the unbroken country that was later erected into Orangeburg District. This work will be of much value to genealogical students all over the South. In the second chapter is printed a record of births, deaths, and marriages, kept by the Rev. John Giessendanner, who was a minister in Orangeburg from 1740 to 1760. This is the most complete of all the record books of the sort kept in South Carolina during colonial days, and is of inestimable value to the genealogical student, and to those of German descent, for the section about Orangeburg was almost entirely settled by Germans."

NEW BRUNSWICK BIBLIOGRAPHY. The books and writers of the Province. By W. G. MacFarlane. 8vo. pp. 98. Price, 50 cents.

A bibliography relating to any subject or place is a labor of magnitude. The biographical items collected by the author concerning the authors, and notes concerning the books, are valuable.

THE SPALDING MEMORIAL. Revised edition. By Charles Warren Spalding. 8vo. Cloth. Illustrated. Price, \$10.

This is one of the most complete genealogical works ever published. A quarter century ago the late Samuel J. Spalding published a remarkable genealogy of the Spalding families, which attracted considerable attention. The present book is based upon that early edition, and contains the records of the family to date. Moreover, the editor has benefited by the great additions to genealogical information of the past few years. The result is a volume of nearly 1,300 pages, and enumerating about 15,000 persons. Extensive chapters are devoted to the family in England, to Scottish and German families, and to records of military service. Few families can boast of such a magazine of information.

THE BARKER GENEALOGY. By James C. Parshall. This is an ancestral record, and embraces many families. Ephraim and Richard Barker came to Connecticut before 1752. The descendants of Ephraim are noticed in this pamphlet.

HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF PETER MONTAGUE of Nansemond and Lancaster counties, Va., and his descendants, 1621-1894. By Geo. W. Montague. Amherst, 1894. Price, \$5.

Mr. Montague has not only given an excellent account of the genealogy of the Virginian family, but from his book may be obtained a great deal of knowledge concerning sources of original information in Virginia.

The author states that Peter Montague, of Virginia, has been identified as the son of Peter and Eleanor Montague, of Boveney, Buckinghamshire, England, and as the brother of Richard Montague, who at a later date migrated to New England. He calls attention to the similarity in ancestry of many New England and Virginian families. An account of the more noted Montague families of England is printed.

OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY, MASS. By David W. Hoyt. Part III. We have already noticed this excellent work. The present part covers families *Foot* to *Martin*. Price, \$1 per part.

JUST JINGLES is a little book of poems by A. J. Burdick, published by Peter Paul Book Company. Mr. Burdick's poems for children are much appreciated. Many of the poems in this little volume are more than "jingles."

SOUTH BRITAIN SKETCHES AND RECORDS. By W. C. Sharpe. Seymour, Conn., 1898. 8vo. pp. 167. \$2. Mr. Sharpe has put forth an interesting volume. The initiative of the book was a sketch of South Britain and its people, by Titus Pierce, originally intended for publication, but never put in print until handed to the compiler of this book. The genealogical material includes records of baptisms, marriages and burials, cemetery inscriptions, and accounts of the following families: Allen, Averill, Barnes, Bassett, Booth, Bradley, Bray, Canfield, Downs, Edmonds, French, Gilbert, Guthrie, Hann, Hayes, Hendryx, Hill, Mitchell, Pierce, Platt, Post, Russell, Skeels, Squires, Stoddard, Tuttle, Wagner, Ward, and Warner.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN FAIRMAN OF ENFIELD, CONN., 1683-1898. By O. P. Allen. 8vo. pp. 36. Price, 75c.

This pamphlet records the history of John Fairman, of Enfield, and his descendants. John Fairman first appears in Salem, then Newbury, afterward

at Enfield. Mr. Allen thinks he was son of John Firman, of Watertown, who died before 1653. To the list of early Firmans enumerated in the pamphlet may be added the following: John Ferman in a list of Medford petitioners, 17, 4 mo., 1673; Dixey Firman, a creditor of the estate of Edward Foster, of Marblehead, 1672; Thomas Ferman, witness to the will of George Coall (of Lynn), dated Nov. 8, 1675.

The names Forman, Firman, and Fairman in early times were interchangeable.

PARISH REGISTER OF STEWKELEY, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, ENGLAND, 1545-1653. Published by Eben Putnam, Danvers, Mass. Price, \$3.

This printed copy of the old registers of Stewkeley, the ancestral home of more than one American family, covers ninety pages. It is an exact transcript of the original made under the supervision of Mr. Dickson, the Vicar. This is the first instance of publication of an English register in America. A very limited edition was printed.

THE HISTORY OF THE WAGENSELLER FAMILY IN AMERICA, WITH KINDRED BRANCHES. By Geo. W. Wagenseller, Middleburg. Pa., 1898. Small 8vo. pp. 225

This volume is the product of the compiler's press. It throws much light upon early German settlement of Pennsylvania, and the customs of the people, and is quite creditable to the author.

Christopher Wagensell came to Pennsylvania before 1734, in which year he was a resident of Hanover township, which included the present town of Pottstown. There is a tradition that he came from Holland. He died in 1762, leaving three children: Ann Mary, wife of John Derr; Elizabeth Catherine, wife of David Haag; and John, who died 1799. It is from him that the Wagensellers derive their descent, his sons having adopted the present form of the name.

A HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILY OF BAILLIE OF DUNAIN, etc., with a sketch of the family of McIntosh, Bulloch, and other families. By Jos. G. B. Bulloch, M.D. 1898. 8vo. pp. 111.

In preparing this work the author has had the assistance of Capt. Douglas Wimberley whose genealogical labors in elucidating the history of the Irvines of Scotland, and allied families, are well known to Scottish genealogists. Dr. Bulloch has collected trustworthy information concerning several Scottish families, as well of the old country lines as in America. The pedigree of the Baillies is remarkably interesting.

Kenneth Baillie of the Dunain family was in Georgia in 1735. His son Robert, a patriot officer, was killed at the siege of Savannah in 1779. The family is extinct in America, though represented by the families of Bulloch, Irvine, and others.

We are glad to see American genealogists contributing so greatly to our knowledge of the Scottish families represented in America.

INDEX TO NAMES OF PERSONS AND CHURCHES in Bishop Meade's "Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia," by J. M. Toner. Issued by the Southern History Association. The index has been carefully revised by Hugh A. Morrison. The lack of an index to Bishop Meade's work has been a great drawback, and the present publication will be welcomed by every genealogist. The price is \$1.

THE PILLSBURY FAMILY, being a history of William and Dorothy Pillsbury, of Newbury, and their descendants to the eleventh generation. Compiled by David B. Pillsbury and Emily A. Getchell. Everett, 1898.

Miss Getchell derives the name of Pillsbury from *pile*, or *peel*, a fortified farmhouse, and *burgh*, a place of security. There is a hamlet named Pillsbury, or Pillsbury Grange, in the parish of Hartington, Derbyshire; and adjoining, but within the limits of Stafford, is Leek. At Leek resided for

many generations a family of Pillsburys, whose descendants are known as Spillsburys. It is a family tradition that William Pillsbury came from Staffordshire, and there is an opening for him in the pedigree of the Leek family. There is, however, absolutely no evidence of the connection. Miss Getchell does not reprint the English Pillsbury wills and comments upon them, which appeared in the Essex Institute Historical Collections in 1895, and were also reprinted in separate form.*

The suggestion that the emigrant by committing some rascality in England caused a displeased father to cut off the eldest son with the traditional shilling rests upon an insecure foundation. The will merely disposes of the testator's personal estate, the eldest receiving a mere acknowledgment, as he was bound to receive his lion's share of the small property. The punishment of the immigrant in New England, for a misdemeanor common at the time between servants or apprentices living under the same roof,† does not suggest an ill life in the old home.

The book is well done, both the compiler's and the printer's portions of the work. The arrangement is clear, and the right balance preserved between bare genealogical details and biographical notes. In the volume appears the sketch by Miss Getchell entitled "An Old Home and its Romance," which was published in this magazine for October, 1893.

The illustrations are most interesting, and include a view of Pillsbury Grange and the old house in Newbury.

GENEALOGICAL QUERIES. ‡

ANDERSON.—Wanted, parentage of Robert Anderson, who m. Abigail Bagley, May 24, 1722, at Milton, Mass. Both given as residents there.

ANDERSON.—John Anderson, shipwright, was in Boston 1647, and for many years after. William was there 1657, John in Dorchester 1690, etc. Will any one having knowledge of the Andersons of Boston and vicinity before 1700, and of their descendants, write to Francis W. Anderson, of St. Paul, Minn.?

F. W. A.

ASHLEY.—Dr. Solomon Wyman, b. March 12, 1766, m. 1st, Clarissa Ashley, at Poultney, Vt., Sept. 9, 1799. Whose daughter? Whose son was Dr. Solomon?

F. W. A.

BAKER-TRUE.—Wanted, ancestry of Benjamin Baker and Ruth (True) Baker, his wife, when and whence they came to Epping, N.H., where both died. His will was made in 1750.

D. D. Davis, Tilton, N.H.

BARKER.—Elizabeth Barker, her ancestors wanted. She was born in 1750; died in 1834; married William Hosmer, son of Joseph Hosmer, in 1778. Moved from Hartford, Conn., to Longyard, Mass., about 1800, thence to Ohio in 1819.

W. R. Bowman, Waverly, Ia.

BARTON.—Ancestry desired of Joseph Barton, who died in Dutchess Co., N.Y., in 1762, leaving sons as follows: Caleb, Lewis, Joseph, Roger, and probably others. He is supposed to have removed from Greenwich, Conn., to New York State.

C. A. R.

*"Notes on the Pillsburys of Leek, Staffordshire," by Emily A. Getchell and Eben Putnam. 8vo. pp. 24.

†Court records present many facts concerning the domestic life of the period. However well housed and strictly conducted the master's family, the servants, of both sexes, sometimes occupied the same attic.

‡The cost of inserting brief queries is twenty-five cents.

BASSETT. — Francis Whitmore, of Killingly, Conn., b. Sept. 5, 1696; m. Elizabeth Bassett. Whose daughter? *F. W. A.*

BELL-BENEDICT. — I. Information is desired concerning the antecedent history of Francis Bell, one of the first settlers of Stamford, Conn.

II. Who was the father of *Anna Benedict*, who married, 16 Oct., 1783, Jona. Bell, of Stamford, or Darien, or New Canaan, Conn?

Mrs. W. B. Haulenbeck, Box 706, Walton, Del. Co., N. Y.

BLANCHARD-CAMPBELL. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Mary Blanchard*, of Saddle River and Schraalenburgh, N.J.; m., 1793, William Campbell, of Hackensack, N.J.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N. Y. City.

BOWEN. — David Bowen, b. 1785; m., 1807, by Rev. Mr. Dow, at Douglas, Mass., Esther, daughter of Susanna Russell (Fuller) Gay. Five dollars to know who his parents were. Emer Bowen might be his father. Five dollars to know the first name of the Fuller, first husband of Susanna.

Chas. W. John, Cincinnati, Ohio.

BRACKETT. — From what part of the old country came the Bracketts? What were the names of the wife and children of Anthony Brackett,⁴ who kept a tavern in School street, Boston, 1760?

A. L. Brackett, Everett, Mass.

BROWN. — What is known of the genealogy of John Brown, supposed to have settled in Londonderry or Chester, N.H., possibly about 1757?

S. F. Dearborn, Suncook, N. H.

BUTLER. — Authentic information wanted concerning parentage of Lieut. Wm. Butler, of Ipswich, Mass., born in 1653; died 1730; married successively to Sarah Cross (1675), Mary Ingalls (1703), and Abigail Metcalf (1713).

F. O. Butler, 212 Monroe St., Chicago, Ill.

CALL. — Who were the ancestors of Amos Call? He was from Montague or Shutesbury. Was killed in Shay's rebellion, Jan. 27, 1787. He married Joanna Temple, Conn.

A. E. Newcomb, Ware, Mass.

CASE. — Ebenezer, married, Roxbury, Mass., 13 March, 1690, Patience Draper; removed to Lebanon, Conn., about 1708, and later, perhaps 1720, to Norwich. Where and when did they die? Was he son of John Case, West Roxbury, Mass., 1710?

Charles P. Noyes, St. Paul, Minn.

CASH. — *Daniel Cash* m. Mary Tracy, daughter of Isaac Tracy, in 1766. They lived in Warwick and Minisink, Orange Co., N.Y. They probably came from Norwich, Conn. Parents and birthplace wanted.

CHADWICK. — Would like to ascertain the ancestry of Reuben Chadwick, born April 14, 1750, in Massachusetts; also name of town where born.

Mrs. David Pierce, 343 Dayton street, Hamilton, Ohio.

CHANDLER. — Charles Webb (6-5-4-3-2 Christopher¹), born in Windom, Conn., 1752; removed to Rockingham, Vt., 1767. Married Cloe Chandler. Wanted, the ancestry of said Cloe.

E. S. Ballard, Davenport, Ia.

CHAPMAN. — Reuben Chapman, son of Jonathan Chapman; b. 1761; d. 1843; m., in 1782, Rhoda Peck. Information wanted of Jonathan Chapman, who married a Spaulding. The family originally were from Connecticut; removed to Cavendish, Vt., and from thence to Ohio.

W. R. Bowman, Waverly, Ia.

CHURCH. — Wanted, date of marriage and death of Caleb Church (b. 28 Apr., 1728, at Little Compton, R.I.), son of Nathl. and Innocent (Head) Church.

Mrs. A. P. L. Cochran, Springfield, O.

CLARK. — Information desired concerning the parents and birthplace of Elisha Clark, born 1747, who married Parthena Lewis.

Mrs. Nathan G. Pond, Pelham Manor, N. Y.

COURSER. — Wanted, the ancestry of Fear Courser, who married Samuel Cushman (4-3-2 Robert¹), about 1710, at Attleborough, Mass.

E. S. Ballard, Davenport, Ia.

CROSSMAN. — Who were the parents of Abigail Crossman, who married Caleb Thomson, of Middleboro, and died Nov. 23, 1791, aged 77?

L. H. C.

CROSSMAN. — Wanted, ancestry of Chloe Crossman, born Aug. 10, 1769, place unknown. Intention of marriage to William Davenport published in Sutton, Mass., July 2, 1786.

CRUTTENDEN. — Abraham Cruttenden, born in Durham, Conn., 1714; married, January, 1741, Sarah Parmelee (possibly Barnaby). Where married? Who was she? Two dollars reward for answers with proving references.

Mrs. H. E. Fowler, Guilford, Conn.

DEDERICK. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Maretje Dederick*, probably of Bergen, N. J.; m. James Campbell; b. Hackensack, N. J., 1743.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N. Y. City.

DIGGENS. — Was Lieut. Martin Diggins father, or Ann Tudor mother, of Anna Diggins or Diggins, of East Windsor, Conn., b. 1764-5, d. 1839, wife of Asa Field, of Northfield, Mass.?

G. B. D.

DOLBEER. — Wanted, the ancestry of Nicholas Dolbeer, or Dolbear, of Rye, N. H., or any information of him. A resident there about 1700.

C. H. D.

EDSON. — Seth Johnson, m. second, Mary Edson, of Stafford, Conn. Whose daughter?

F. W. A.

EVANS. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Catharine Evans*, b. 1755; d. N. Y. City, Nov. 25, 1820; m., before 1777, James Tylee.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N. Y. City.

FOSTER. — Jonathan Foster, of Ware, Mass., born Aug. 18, 1740, son of John Foster and Eunice ———. Married Hannah Thayer, probably during 1765-69. What was his mother's maiden name, and who were her ancestors? Who were the ancestors of his father?

A. E. Newcomb, Ware, Mass.

FOWLER. — Wanted, to find the parentage of *Esther Fowler*, who married, Jan. 15, 1761, Nathan Dickinson, Jr., of Amherst, Mass., and died in Amherst, March 15, 1803, aged 63.

Geo. W. Montague, Box 20, Northampton, Mass.

GIBBS. — Abigail, b. 16 April, 1666; m., 26 Nov., 1697, Jireh Swift, Sandwich, Mass. Was she daughter or granddaughter of Thomas Gibbs, early settler of Sandwich?

Charles P. Noyes, St. Paul, Minn.

GILLINGHAM. — Wanted: Ancestry of Priscilla Gillingham, who m. Joseph Lane (b. 1784). She d. 1854. Lived in Newbury and Bradford, N. H.

GODDARD. — Who were the parents of Mrs. Hannah Goddard, a widow who married John Read, or Reed, of Roxbury, Mass., in 1751? What Goddard did she marry?

C. H. D.

HALL. — Married Anna Griffin and had daughter Mary, who married Nathan Edson, of Bridgewater, Mass., 1766. She was born about 1740, probably in Raynham. Wanted, given name of father, with dates and place of birth, marriage, and death.

M. E. S.

HAWKINS. — Nicholas Hawkins, son of Nathan, of Spottsylvania Co., Va. Was Revolutionary soldier at Yorktown, brought relics home. No records of service. Both moved to Kentucky in 1789. How prove service?

Richard Gentry, Kansas City, Mo.

HEATON. — Elizabeth Heaton and her son James were in New Haven, 1649. He signed his name "James Heaton, *gent.*," as did his sons. His mother, a widow, on marrying, 2d, Benjamin Wilmot, asks the court to advise her as to estate of her son James, left him by his father, her former husband. She married, 3d, William Judson. Query: Who was her first husband and what was her surname? From known connections it is presumed the family may have come from Cheshire, England. Any information will be gladly received by

Jno. Edwd. Heaton, Drawer D, New Haven, Conn.

HIBBARD. — Rev. A. G. Hibbard, Woodstock, Conn., is preparing the genealogy of the descendants of Robert Hibbard, Salem, Mass., 1635-84. Solicits information, copies of family records, wills, etc.

HILDRETH. — Robert Hildreth, of Dracut. Married Sarah Abbot, of Andover, Nov. 15, 1753. Who was the mother of his seven children, of whom Sarah, the oldest, was born Aug. 31, 1735, all but the youngest before 1753?

L. H. C.

HOLMES. — Wanted, ancestry of Sarah Holmes, who married William Blaisdell (Blesdill) 17 June, 1755, at Concord, Mass.

HOWE. — All persons named Howe, or of Howe ancestry, should contribute their family records to Judge Daniel Wait Howe, of Indianapolis, Ind., as he is preparing a genealogy of the Howe family.

H.

JESSUP. — Desire baptismal name of father, maiden name of mother, date and place of birth, of Jane Jessup, of Long Island, who married, Oct. 25, 1750, Jonas Clay, of Chatham, Conn.

L. C. E.

JOHNSON. — Seth's father was Nathaniel Johnson, of Thompson, Conn. Who the parents of Nathaniel?

F. W. A.

JONES. — Name of parents of Lydia Ames Jones, b. in Dracut, Mass., Sept. 22, 1783; m. Elijah Flint, Nov. 25, 1802.

KELLOGG. — Joseph Kellogg, who first appears in Hadley or Farmington, had son Stephen, born 1668, probably in Western Massachusetts. The latter's son Amos was born in Sheffield in 1716. Did Amos engage in the colonial service in any way? Who was his wife?

I. C. Kellogg, Godfrey, Ill.

KNIGHT. — Who were the parents of Sarah Knight, of Stow, who married Moses Whitney Sept. 30, 1686, and died March 23, 1755?

L. H. C.

MARSHALL. — Who was William Marshall of Mecklenburg County, Va.? His ancestry, posterity, and career?

W. M. Paxton, Platte City, Mo.

MARTIN. — *David Martin* m. Abigail Stanley, probably in Connecticut, and had issue: ¹Mary, ²Lucy, ³Clarissa, ⁴Caleb, ⁵Stanley, ⁶(Frederick Stanley. b. April 25, 1794, in Fair Haven or West Haven, Vt.). We think David Martin came from Woodbury, Conn. Ancestry wanted.

F. A. S.

MILLARD. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Andros Millard*, born about 1749; died 1833, in Manchester, Conn.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 E. 55th St., N. Y. City.

MORRISON-ROBBINS. — Information desired of the descendants of Affa and Elizabeth Crane. Affa married Wm. Morrison, May 28, 1796, at Goshen, N.Y. Later, coming, supposedly, to Rising Sun, Ind., Affa married Robbins and came to Circleville, Ohio.

Mrs. D. H. Lav, Dixon, Ill.

MYGATT. — Zebulon Mygatt, of Hartford, Conn., born Nov., 1693; son of Joseph Mygatt. Wanted, date of his marriage and name of wife, with her ancestors. *W. R. Bowman, Waverly, Iowa.*

NEWELL. — Information desired concerning the ancestry of Jesse, son of Oliver Newell, born 1780. Married in Bethlehem, Conn., 1805. He left Cole-rain, Mass., in 1800. *A. M. J.*

NEWTON. — Information desired concerning the parents and birthplace of Elias Newton, born 1754. He was in the Revolutionary army, having enlisted from Tolland, Conn. *Mrs. Nathan G. Pond, Pelham Manor, N. Y.*

NILES. — Benjamin, son of John and Jane Niles, Braintree, Mass., born 11th mo. (1) 1650. Was at Block Island with brothers Nathaniel and John, 1678 and 1684; at Lyme, Conn., with wife Ruth, 1692; died there before 1712. Wanted, Ruth's parentage and any information regarding family. *Charles P. Noyes, St. Paul, Minn.*

NOYES. — Wanted, the ancestors of Joshua Noyes, born July 25, 1776, supposed in Boscawen, N. H.; married Eunice Jewett in Rowley, Mass., 1797; lived in Byfield, Mass., from 1797 (probably before this) to 1817, where he reared nine children. Reward offered for proof of parents and grandparents.

PAINE, MARY, born 1735; married, 1751, Noah Hopkins, son of Stephen and Jennima Bronson Hopkins, all of Nine Partners, New York. Who were Mary Paine's parents, and was there a will ever published of Abram Paine, formerly of Nine Partners? *L. C. H.*

PARK. — Benjamin Rockwell, of Stafford, Conn., b. Oct. 26, 1700; m., Feb. 3, 1723-4, Sarah Park, daughter of John Park, "yeoman," of Stonington, Conn. Who were the parents of John? *F. D. A.*

PARKER-EATON. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Elizabeth Parker*, b. —; d. —; m., 1721, Thomas Eaton, born 1698; d. 1773. Settled in Tolland, Conn., about 1721.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N. Y. City.

PORTMORT. — What place in England did Philemon Portmort (Boston's first schoolmaster) emigrate from (about the year 1630-4)? When and where did he die in America? Who were the parents and offspring of Joseph Purmort, of New Castle? The old provincial court records of Exeter, 1650-1700, frequently mention his name. When and where did he die?

C. H. Purmort, Waterloo, Iowa.

PURRINGTON. — Records of the Purrington family should be sent to the editor of this magazine.

PUTNAM. — Who was John Francis Putnam, living in 1776?

N. H. Jones, Plattsburgh, N. H.

[He was probably of the Mohawk Valley Putmans (Dutch). If so, his father would be Francis. — *Editor.*]

PUTNAM. — Persons of Putnam's ancestry in any degree are requested to send their line of descent to Eben Putnam, Danvers, Mass.

PUTNAM OF NEW ORLEANS. — Early in this century a family of Putnams lived in New Orleans. Wanted, information concerning them — names of living representatives especially. A Putnam left New Orleans for Cuba, leaving a daughter aged four years, in 1850. Who was he? What became of him? *Eben Putnam, Danvers, Mass.*

REYNOLDS-GARDNER-CROSS. — Revolutionary and colonial service wanted of Rhode Islanders: Nicholas Gardiner, son of Ezekiel, born May 20, 1749, in North or South Kingstown. Martha Champlin, first wife, b. in Westerly.

Jan. 27, 1750, daughter of Samuel and Hannah Gardiner Châmpplin. Ezekiel Gardiner, son of Nicholas, Jr., b. Sept. 29, 1712; d. Aug. 13, 1780; m. Dorcas Watson, Aug. 29, 1734; Nicholas Gardiner, Jr., son of Nicholas, b. 168—, m. Oct. 13, 1709, Mary Eldred, daughter of Thomas Eldred, of Kingstown; Nicholas Gardiner, son of George, b. 1654; m. Hannah —.

Jonathan Reynolds, of South Kingstown, b. Oct. 9, 1727, son of John and Hannah Hall Reynolds, of Exeter; m. Ann Knowles. Joseph, father of John, b. Nov. 27, 1652; second wife, Mercy. James, father of Joseph, d. 1702; left wife, Deborah. William, father of James, settled in Providence in 1636.

Joseph Cross, son of Samuel and grandson of Joseph, b. in Charlestown, May 19, 1775; m. Dorcas Reynolds, daughter of Jonathan.

Nathan Reynolds Gardner, Baltic, Conn.

RHODES. — I. Wanted, names of parents of John Rhodes, of Wethersfield, b. 29 Jan., 1774.

II. Who was Joseph Rhodes, of Wethersfield?

Mrs. Nathan G. Pond, Pelham Manor, N. Y.

RoBARDS. — In General Waterbury's army, at Ticonderoga, Oct. 8, 1776, Lieut.-Col. RoBards was field officer. *Vide* Capt. Norton's Orderly Book, page 31. What colony did Lieut.-Col. RoBards represent? Give his nativity, ancestry, etc.

John Lewis RoBards,

Vice-President Missouri Society Sons of American Revolution.

ROBERTS-BISSELL. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Mable Roberts*, born 1727, died 1803. Married, 1752, Capt. Ozias Bissell, of Bolton, Conn.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N. Y. City.

ROBINSON-EATON. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Jane Robinson*, m., at Mt. Sinai, Long Island, N. Y., 1766 (about), Jacob Eaton, b. in Conn., 1727; d. 1798.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N. Y. City.

RUNDAL. — Ancestry of Abraham Rundal desired. He was born Greenwich, Conn., 1716; married, about 1740, Mercy — (?); died in Dutchess Co., N. Y., in 1799. Sons were Joshua, Jabez, Jesse, David, and Abel.

SMITH. — *Joseph Smith*, probably of Connecticut, settled in Bradford Co., Pennsylvania; m. —. Had seven children: Henry, b. Nov., 1784; Allen, Abram, Polly, Reuben, Stephen, and Joseph. May have been of Norwich, Conn.

F. W. S.

SMITH. — Ancestry of Richard Smith, whose daughter Molly married John Gilman, Oct. 22, 1767. Richard probably lived in New Market or Gilmanston, New Hampshire.

E. S. Ballard, Davenport, Iowa.

SMITH-TUDOR. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *James Smith*, of Connecticut. Married Mary Tudor, b. 1740; d. 1837; daughter of Rev. Samuel Tudor.

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SOUTHERLAND. — Ancestry desired of Roger Sutherland, who had children recorded at Greenwich, Conn., as early as 1743. He died 1798, leaving following sons: Roger, William, Samuel, Joseph, Stephen, and Silas. Most of these sons removed to Dutchess Co., N. Y., after father's death.

SPRINGSTEEN-FURMAN. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of *Jane Springsteen*, b. 1755; d. 1826; m., at Newtown, Long Island, N. Y., 1776, to William Furman.

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STONE. — Information is desired concerning the ancestors of Major Uriah Stone, who emigrated about 1763 from Hampstead, N. H., to Grafton county in the same State. His father's name was James.

William C. Stone, City Library, Springfield, Mass.

STRICKLAND. — Wanted, the ancestry of the following persons: Elizabeth Strickland, who married William Stoughton, of Windsor, Conn., July 6, 1710.

STURTEVANT. — Who were the parents of Mercy (Bennett?) who married Samuel Sturtevant, of Plympton, and died July 3, 1714, in her 60th year?

What is the ancestry of Mary Price, or Prince, who married Samuel Sturtevant, of Plympton, Jan. 20, 1706-7, and died May 20, 1748, aged 63?

L. H. C.

TAYLOR. — John Taylor, of Lynn in 1631 [probably in vicinity of Lynn or Boston]; m. Rhoda —, a widow with young daughters; moved to Windsor, Conn., 1639. Ten dollars for record of marriage or any facts relating thereto.

W. O. Taylor, Orange, Mass.

TAYLOR. — Wanted, ancestry of Joseph Taylor and wife Deliverance, who, with their son Asahel, were baptized at Colchester, Conn., Dec., 1733.

M. H. L.

THOMAS. — Edward Thomas, Sr., Middleboro, Mass., died fall, 1726, naming wife, Mary, and children, Miriam, Edward, Nathan, Noah, Fear, in will.

Wanted, date and place his birth and marriage, wife's maiden name, and his ancestry.

Above Noah m. Mary Alden, 1732.

Alden K. Thomas, 1341 Monadnock Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

THORN. — Agnes, eldest daughter of Wm. Thorn, b. 1706, and Elizabeth Weir, b. 1704, of Scotch descent, came to Londonderry, Ireland, and about 1735 removed to Windham, N.H. Agnes married — Brown.

S. H. C.

TUPPER. — Eliakim, son of Thomas and Martha (Mayhew) Tupper, born Sandwich, 29 Dec., 1681, married Joanna. Lived Sandwich, probably till 1740. Where and when did they die? Who were Joanna's parents?

Charles P. Noyes, St. Paul, Minn.

TYLEE-EVANS. — Parentage and ancestry wanted of James Tylee, b. 1750; d. N.Y. City, 1826; m., before 1777, Catharine Evans.

C. G. Moller, Jr., 54 East 55th St., N.Y. City.

TYLER. — Joseph Tyler settled in Tioga Point (now Athens), Bradford Co., Pennsylvania, before 1787, coming probably from Connecticut. Married Jane or Jenny Armstrong previous to 1787. His parentage wanted.

F. W. S.

VAN METER. — Information concerning the immediate descendants of Garrett Van Meter, who came from Holland and settled in Ulster Co., New York, about 1652, is desired.

Mrs. K. S. Paul, Harrisburg, Va.

WADELS. — Was John Wadels, Watles, who died Dorchester 6th June, 1676, a son of Richard or William Wattells, who was at Ipswich 1643, and in 1663 with wife Mary sold land there, and removed probably to Chelmsford? John Wadel, Wattles, m. Mary Goole, at Chelmsford, 25 Dec., 1666; she m. 2d, Peter Talbot, 23 Jan., 167 $\frac{1}{2}$, at Dorchester.

Jno. Bissell, Office 207 Bissell Block, Pittsburg, Pa.

WALKER. — Ancestry of Margaret Walker, b. 1745; m. George Freese, of Hampton, N.H.; d. in Moultonborough.

E. S. Ballard, Davenport, Iowa.

WALSWORTH. — Parents and birthplace of Anna Walsworth, b. 1783, probably in Connecticut; m. Barney Edson in Oneida Co., N.Y., 1798.

WARD. — Wanted, an account of the antecedents of Rev. David Ward [b. 1761; d. 15 Dec., 1821], an early minister at Wells, Vt.

Nathan H. Jones, Box 101, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

WARD-BIDWELL. — John Ward married — Bidwell, probably in Middletown, Conn. Their daughter Annah married Hezekiah Goff, March 11, 1774, at Middletown. Give ancestors of this John Ward and — Bidwell, his wife.
A. E. Newcomb, Ware, Mass.

WARNER. — John Warner, of Windsor, Conn., who married Margaret Loomis, Dec. 25, 1754.
H.

WATTS. — Wanted: Ancestry of Betsey (Elizabeth?) Watts, who married Jacob Cutler (b. 1787). Supposed to have lived near Salem, Mass., and in Vermont, and, when young, near "Crazy Jane," memorized in verse.

WELLS. — Peter, Jamestown, R.I., 1674 to 1679; Kingstown, 1687; died there after 1715. Was he son of Thomas and Ann, who came over 1635 (Register, Vol. 14, p. 309)? Was Thomas, freeman, Westerly, 17 Sept., 1679, same?
Charles P. Noyes, St. Paul, Minn.

WILD. — Who was Ruth, the second wife of Wm. Wild, of Braintree, — son of John, — he born Aug. 26, 1696, and married about 1720?

Ruth Hensley of Braintree
E. Hosmer, 382 La Salle avenue, Chicago.

WILMOT. — Lydia Wilmot, wife of Daniel Cassdee, of Oxford, Conn. They were married May 3, 1784.
H.

WOODS-FULLER. — Data desired regarding parentage and ancestry of Levi Woods and his wife Bethany Fuller (or Mellen). Married in Pelham, Mass., Oct. 19, 1786. He died Aug. 10, 1833, age 77 years.

L. B. Mason, 334 E. 17th St., N. Y.

WRIGHT. — Moses Wright, b. 1732; d. Dec. 20, 1822; m. Thankful Norton. Lived at Colebrook, Conn.
H.

WYATT. — Frank Wyatt, native North Carolina, settled in Kentucky, Montgomery County. His sons John, Anthony, Douglas, Joseph, settled in Missouri in 1816. John was captain in war, 1812. Who were Frank's ancestors?
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Before the outbreak of war there was every appearance of a considerable increase in the subscription list for 1898, and indeed a number of names have been added to our list, probably 25 per cent. gain over the preceding year. On the other hand, many of our regular subscribers have been so interested in the developments of the war that they have forgotten to remit their usual subscription. We take this occasion to remind our readers that the yearly subscription is two dollars, *and is payable in advance*. An eight years' record is sufficient to reassure new subscribers that there is no likelihood of failure to receive a full complement of numbers for the year.

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It was decided not to commence the Harpswell records in this volume, as other more important matters, as far as we could judge from the replies of subscribers regarding the

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The Higginson papers will be continued.

Among the more important articles to appear soon is an account, by the editor, of the Endicott family in England. Information concerning the origin of the early leaders in English colonization in America has more than mere genealogical interest.

The value of the Beverly Baptisms has been demonstrated by the portion already printed. Not as great progress as anticipated has been made with the Essex County Deeds and Probate Records, but the material will be continued, as will also the Essex County Court Records.

During 1899 we shall commence printing some of the hitherto unprinted town records of Salem, probably beginning with that most valuable of records, the Commoners' Record. The Commoners' Record shows the division of the common lands, and provides evidence to locate most of the early settlers of Salem, as well as supplying in many cases the sole evidence of relationship between early Salem settlers and later generations. The second volume of Town Records has not the same value as the first volume, which has been printed by Mr. Upham, but contains a most valuable record of the doings of the inhabitants subsequent to 1660, as well as facts concerning newcomers. Both of the above records have been but little used by genealogists. We do not feel that we shall give undue space to the publication of these old records of Salem and Essex county, for in every case they precede the extensive migration from that part of Massachusetts to all parts of New England, and in many instances to the South.

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READ. — 1674, 7 Dec., Mary Read, with her child, from Salem, refused as an inhabitant of Chelmsford. — *Md. Files.*

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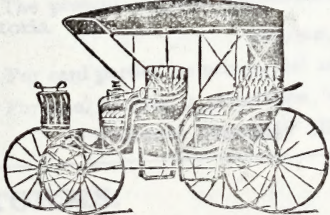
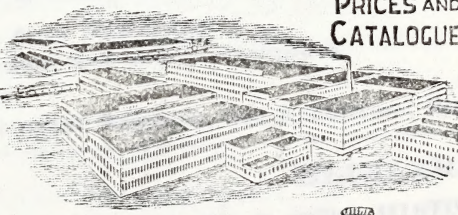
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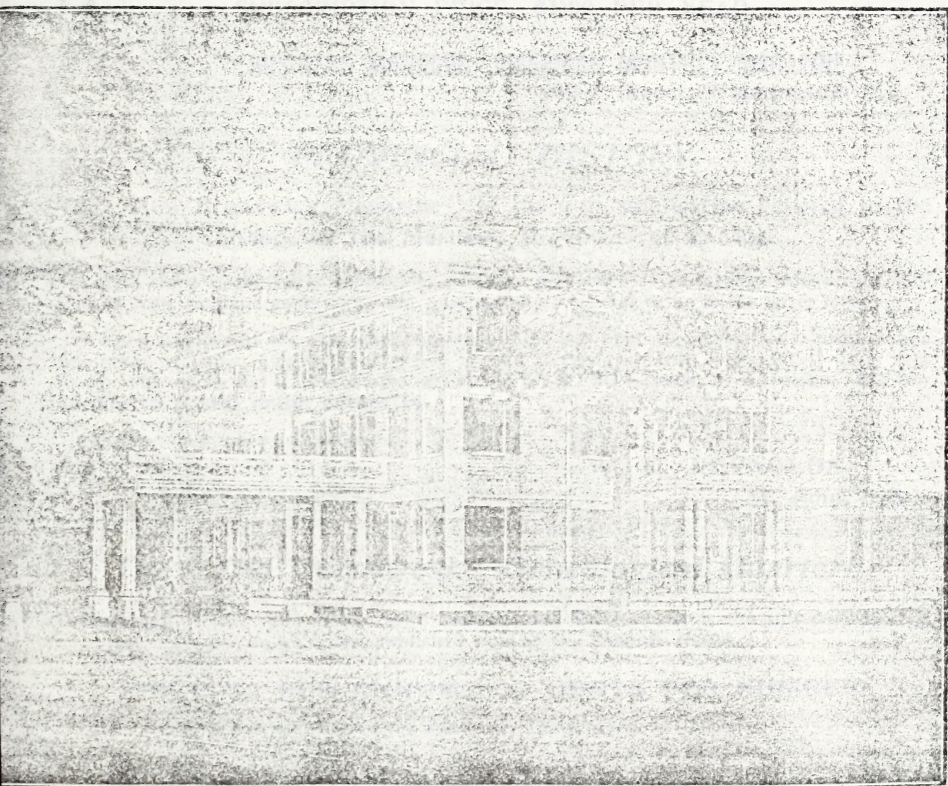
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